

# BOY KILLED IN ROUTE 422 TRUCK CRASH

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## HEAD INJURIES CAUSE DEATH OF BUCKS YOUTH

Gasoline Truck Parked  
On Side of Road Hit  
By Smaller Vehicle

A gasoline truck driver's attempt to aid a stranded motorist resulted in the death of an 18-year-old Bucks county youth at Squirrel Hollow road and Route 422, Douglassville, at 12:45 o'clock this morning.

Edward Schwartz, of Jamison, was killed by a blow on the forehead when a panel truck in which he was a passenger crashed into the left rear of the gasoline truck parked on the south side of the highway behind the auto of the stranded motorist.

Dr. Stanley Hrynkiwicz pronounced Schwartz dead on arrival at Pottstown hospital at 1:10 o'clock. The doctor said he believed the youth died of an internal hemorrhage of the brain resulting from the blow on his forehead.

Michael Yanos Jr., 17, of Constitution avenue, Stowe, the driver of the panel truck, loaded with auto seat covers, was admitted to the hospital with possible fractured ribs, multiple cuts of the body and a broken left hand.

Charles Reinert, Douglassville, first nearby resident on the scene, and a group of unidentified persons helped extricate the youths.

When the smaller truck hit the larger, the seat covers slid forward, slamming the youths against the windshield and steering wheel and

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## 1st Baptist Church Honors Teachers of Its Sunday School

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First Baptist church honored its Sunday school teachers last night at a dinner given by the board of Christian education.

It was the first event of its kind. Anna Nagle, a veteran of 38 years of Sunday school teaching, was especially honored by the surprise presentation of a corsage of red rosebuds, given to her on behalf of the First Baptist board of Christian education by its president, Maurice Borneman.

Miss Nagle is now superintendent of the Beginners' department in the church school. She supervises six teachers who teach 50 pupils.

THE BOARD gave the dinner to honor all the teachers of the First Baptist Sunday school for their service to the church and their pupils.

Guest speaker at the affair was the Rev. Homer Trickett, pastor of First Baptist church, Reading. He commended the teachers in his talk and gave them credit for leading their young people into a "larger understanding of the teach-

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## Only One Got Out Alive



Passersby examine the twisted wreckage in which an 18-year-old boy was killed and a 17-year-old Stowe youth was seriously injured early this morning. Edward Schwartz, Jamison, Bucks county, was killed instantly and Mathias Yanos, Constitution avenue, Stowe, suffered a broken left hand and possible fractured left ribs.

—Mercury Photo by Eugene Orlando

## A NICE DAY FOR WITCHES

## Moist Atmosphere Makes Sky Take on Weird Look

Tiny droplets of moisture in the atmosphere gave many Pottstown area residents a large case of the creeps yesterday and even led a few of them to argue with the weatherman that the sun was the moon.

The weatherman in Reading reported several telephone calls from area residents who insisted that the orange-red circle they saw in the sky was much too small and nowhere near bright enough to be the sun. They insisted it was the moon. It was not.

The moon was, however, peculiar enough when it was out late Monday night, being an orange-red only slightly less weird-looking than the sun.

Adding to the creepiness yesterday morning was a pinkish-yellow tint to the cloudy daylight.

It was, in short, a nice day for witches.

WHAT WAS behind the weird effect of Pottstown's morning was explained by John W. Streeter, assistant director of Fels planetarium, Franklin institute, Philadelphia.

He said the unusually small droplets of moisture reduced the sun's brightness, without reducing the sharpness of the image as an ordinary cloudy sky does.

It looked reddish because the droplets absorbed most of the blue

light we usually see in the sun, and left the usual amount of red there.

Area residents thought the little circle in the sky was too small to be the sun because, Streeter explained, "The sun is smaller than you think."

"You seldom see it overhead as you did today. If it's cloudy, you usually can't see it at all;

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## Missionary Who Worked in China Will Describe His Experiences Under Communist Imprisonment at First Church of the Brethren

An American missionary who was born in China, educated there, and thrown into prison by the Communists but later rescued, will speak at the First Church of the Brethren, Friday night.

The Rev. J. Calvin Bright is the man who was imprisoned by the Chinese Communists after four years as a missionary.

His wife, who was with him in China, will accompany him to Pottstown and speak in the same church at 8:45 p. m. Friday. The Rev. Bright will speak at the service which begins at 7:30 p. m.

"God Delivers" will be the topic of the sermon by the guest speaker.

At present the Rev. Bright is in China. His wife, Harriet, was permitted to return to America when he was arrested.

He was kept under guard by his captors four months but allowed to go and come. Then on Jan. 9, 1951, he was taken to prison where he languished

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## ON THE MAIN DRAG

HENRY NEWMAN  
—talking about the Halloween parade.

EDWARD JAMESON  
—hurrying to a covered dish social.

ABRAHAM BLAKELY  
—being called to the telephone.

MARTY LOU SMALE  
—wishing her were home.

FRITZ DRAUSCHAK  
—sporting a sharp jacket.

LUCY CONFINO  
—remiscing about the old days.

RAYMOND RIDDLE  
—thinking it's good to be a civilian.

ANNIE MINOTTO  
—enjoying a day off from work.

EARL R. DECKER  
—looking forward to hunting season.

WALTER ADAMS  
—getting ready to deliver Christmas cards.

## TRUMAN, ADA, TIMES, DE VOTO HIT M'CARTHY

Both Presidential Candidates  
Remain Silent on Talk  
By Wisconsin Senator

## IRRELIGIOUS CHARGE 'LIE' SCHLESINGER ASSERTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—Stevenson backers chorused "lie" today in response to the speech last night in which Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy accused the Democratic Presidential nominee of giving "aid to Communist causes."

On the other side of the fence Sen. Everett Dirksen, Republican from Stevenson's home state of Illinois, said Americans should "carefully ponder the facts told about Adlai Stevenson and his Left Wing advisers" in the McCarthy speech.

"The Left Wingers cannot answer the facts Senator McCarthy exposed to them have only their usual recourse—to smear the man who made them public."

The top men in the presidential contest, Stevenson and his Republican rival Dwight D. Eisenhower, had no immediate response to make to McCarthy but President Truman, campaigning for Stevenson through Minnesota, paid no respects to the Wisconsin senator.

HE SAID Republicans are trying to win the election with tactics of "fear and smear" and "slander and character assassination."

Democratic National Chairman Stephen A. Mitchell said in New York that Eisenhower "must assume full responsibility" for the McCarthy speech. In a statement he quoted Eisenhower as having said the decisions in the campaign have been and will be mine alone.

The New York Times said edi-

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## Trinity Congregation Told Christianity Is 'Layman's Religion'

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"The Christian Church is more than a fellowship, more than a family. It is 'colony of heaven.' It is part of the body of Jesus Christ."

Dr. Charles E. Schaeffer, former supply pastor of Trinity Reformed church, emphasized this during his address at the annual congregational meeting held in Fellowship hall of the church last night.

Dr. Schaeffer, who is secretary-emeritus of the Board of National Missions of the Evangelical and Reformed church with offices in Philadelphia, spoke on the theme "What Is the Church?"

He emphasized, "The millions of members of the Christian church throughout the world carry on the work of the church in life and in death."

HE CHALLENGED the 150 members of Trinity's congregation present to be faithful to their covenants because "in this day and age it is important that Christians

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## Bobby Walters Fund

Ladies' Auxiliary, American-Italian Bocce club, Roversford \$ 10.00  
St. Peter's Ref. Sunday School, Knauertown 20.00  
Previously reported 6627.66

Total 8667.66

## THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Some cloudiness, with 46-50 degrees high today. Low tonight, 22-28 degrees. Tomorrow, fair and mild in the afternoon.

## 55 Mercury 37 Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES  
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

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| 4 a. m.  | 34 | 4 p. m.  | 41 |
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| 6 a. m.  | 35 | 6 p. m.  | 41 |
| 7 a. m.  | 36 | 7 p. m.  | 40 |
| 8 a. m.  | 37 | 8 p. m.  | 39 |
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| 6 p. m.  | 47 | 6 p. m.  | 29 |
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| 8 p. m.  | 49 | 8 p. m.  | 27 |
| 9 p. m.  | 50 | 9 p. m.  | 26 |

## School Board OKs Authority Of 5 Members

By ED ZUMACH  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

Pottstown's five-member school district authority, which will finance the construction of the proposed \$350,000 West End elementary school north of Penn Village, was appointed last night at a special meeting of the school board.

The meeting followed an orientation session for the authority candidates during which the complexities of the school financing were explained.

Those appointed and their terms of office include:

Horace H. Frederick, 1428 Cherry lane, one year; Forest

C. J. Purnell, 56 Cedar street, two years; Evelyn E. Shelly, 260 King street, three years; E. T. Handley, Maple Gardens, four years, and Walter F. Heise, 874 North Franklin street, five years.

After appointing the five, the school board approved advertisement of the authority's formation.

THE AUTHORITY cannot elect its officers until it has received its charter. School Board Solicitor Harold E. Binder estimated the charter will be on hand about the last week of November.

Whitney A. Sanders, of Sanders and Thomas, the architectural and engineering firm which has de-

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## School Band Can't Play for Stevenson, Board Rules, But Pupils Will See Him

Pottstown Senior High school pupils will be permitted to see and hear Gov. Adlai Stevenson when he rolls into town tomorrow morning, but the school band will not be permitted to play for him.

Those decisions were made at a special meeting of the school board last night.

A unanimous vote of the six directors present at the meeting first approved postponement of the starting time for classes tomorrow morning from 8:40 to 9:20 o'clock.

This will permit the pupils to see the Democratic presidential candidate at the Reading campaign station during his 8:50 to 9 a. m. stopover in the borough enroute to Reading.

VICTOR J. ROBERTS, one of the three Democratic school directors on the seven-man board, moved that the band be given permission to play at the reception for the governor.

H. C. Creswell, another Democrat, seconded the motion, but Carl M. Binder, one of the four-man Republican majority on the board, interjected calmly:

"I don't feel that's any activity for our band, even if Eisenhower was the speaker. If it was the President coming and not on a political jaunt, well, okay."

"It's a fine thing to let the chil-

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## 10 Doctors, Dentists Among Men to Be Given Physicals

Ten Pottstown doctors and dentists will be among the 53 area residents scheduled to take their pre-induction physicals in Philadelphia today.

This information came yesterday from R. Ross Longaker, chief clerk of the borough's local board 110.

Longaker said the lists have been growing larger because of the many servicemen who will be discharged from the armed forces in the near future.

The doctors and dentists who will undergo physical examinations at the Schuylkill arsenal today are Dr. S. Russell Ash, 740 High street; Dr. Maurice Wolf, 41 Walnut street; Dr. Charles A. Baylor, Sanatoga; Dr. Abraham Bernstein, 353 King street; Dr. Charles S. Leventhal, 368 High street; Dr. Morton M. Gratz, 62 North Hanover street; Dr. Herbert P. Seto, 1236 High street; Dr. Daniel Lee, 719 Walnut street; Dr. Harry E. Green, 1214 Queen street. Also on the list is Dr. Theodore Bonstedt, formerly of Pottstown but now residing in Alton, Illinois.

IT WAS disclosed earlier by the Pennsylvania State Dental society these pre-induction physicals for medical men do not in themselves

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## Man's Elbow X-Rayed After Automobile Mishap

John Banus, 36, of 334 South Hanover street, South Pottstown, was treated for abrasions of the left elbow and X-rayed for a possible fracture of the elbow as a result of an automobile accident yesterday afternoon.

Banus said he was turning into the driveway of his home when a car driven by David W. Martin, Pottstown RD 3, traveling in the same lane highway struck his vehicle.



That sharp-edged little circle in the sky is all of the sun that was visible over Pottstown for several hours yesterday morning. This view is looking east from near The Hill's soccer field. Beech street is behind the tree. The feeble, orange-red sun and the weird pinkish-yellow tint to the cloudy daylight made what John Greenleaf Whittier wrote 87 years ago of a New England day seem strangely appropriate to Pottstown. "The sun that brief October day rose cheerless over hills of gray, and, darkly circled, gave at noon, a sadder light than waning moon, slow tracing down the thickening day, its mute and ominous prophecy." Only one word has been changed. He wrote December. His poem was about the sun that portended a monstrous blizzard.

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## Hallowe'en Parade Marchers to Get Pumpkin Pies Tonight, 2000 of Them

Two thousand pumpkin pies will from trucks on the Reading concourse near High street.

Struckmann was enthusiastic about this year's "bump crop" of pumpkins. "The pumpkin pies have never been better and have never sold better," he declared.

The children's pies will be made of Boston marrow squash, which is the result of crossbreeding a squash and ordinary long neck

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# Denmark Convention Representative Talks Of Trip at Soroptimist Club Dinner Meeting

One of the 1000 representatives from 23 countries who attended the Soroptimist International convention in Denmark spoke to members of the local club Monday night.

Minnie Compton from West Chester told the group of her trip to the Scandinavian country and showed slides taken in France, Italy, Switzerland and London. Her souvenirs from the journey were on display.

At the dinner meeting, President Margaret Clements announced that judges for the Halloween parade tonight would be Margaret Clements, Lillian Bennett, Dorothy Sands, Helen Reilly, Alyce Wilauer, Geneva Hipple, Doris Heintz, Ann Hasty, Kathryn Yerger and Florence Manthorne.

After Doris Heintz presented two vocal solos, six members announced their intention of attending the annual Fall Conference in Claridge hotel Atlantic city the weekend of Nov. 1.

Attending members will be Florence Manthorne, Kathryn Yerger, Lillian Bennett, Ann Wagonhurst, Mary Jane Toms and Margaret Clements.

Present were Dorothy Mutter, Gladys Marquette, Ruth Bickel, Mary McElroy, Marian Detweiler, Helen Zinn, June Morgan and Irma Smale.

# Friends of Joanne Lipko Entertained At Costume Party

A Halloween party was held Monday by Mrs. Joseph Lipko Sr. for her daughter, Joanne, at their home at 72 North Warren street.

Prizes were awarded to Jeanette Stauffer and Brenda Fidler for the funniest and the prettiest costumes. Games were played during the evening by the following guests: Carol Cook, Barbara Cook, Brenda Fidler, Donna Quinter, Annette Stout, Helen Christ, Ruth Ann Hallman, Kay and Larry Dalling, Dale Gardner, Karen Steeley, David Whisler, John Bush and Peter Hadley.

# Kenilworth Girls Discuss Why They Are Brownies

Discussion of what it means to be a Brownie was held by girls of Kenilworth Troop 15.

Each girl told of what she did at home and what she thought a good Brownie ought to do around her neighborhood to be of help.

Two new girls, Sandra Snyder and Catherine Colver, were inducted.

Leaders Mrs. Donald Sands and Evelyn Wampler, announced that prizes would be awarded for the best dressed, the funniest, most original, and last-to-be-guessed costumes worn at the Wednesday Halloween party in the Community house, Kenilworth.

Flag bearers were Sharon Piersol, Mary Belle Rosewarne, Donna Sands and Sandra Snyder.

Present were Mary Ann Bealer, Cynthia Clark, Joan Dunlap, Adele Evans, Carol Evans, Gladys Griffith, Nancy Gorman, Eleanor Hess, Dixie Overholzer and visitors, Charlene Dunlap, Joan Ayres and Marilyn Hennessey.

# 27 Pottstown Nurses Hold Anniversary Dinner

Four members of the Class of 1927, Pottstown hospital nursing school celebrated the 25th anniversary of their graduation at a dinner in Howard Johnson's restaurant.

Honored guest at the event was Mary E. Henry of Lancaster who had been superintendent of Pottstown hospital when the class was in training.

Those present were Reba Overholzer, Mary Schafer Endy, Jeanette Booth Patrick and Eva Painter.

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# Junior Service Leaguers Harvest Their Dance Decor

Junior Service leaguers are moving Autumn leaves into Brookside Country club for their Halloween dance Friday.

Cornstalks, gourds, pumpkins, wheat and Fall leaves, accented with Halloween symbols and colors, will decorate the ballroom for the masquerade.

Dancing begins at 10:30 p. m., with the grand march at 11:30 p. m. Costume prizes will be awarded in group, couple and individual divisions and masks will be prerequisite for admittance.

Supplying the music will be Johnny Williams' trio.

Sponsor of the dance is the league's ways and means committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Herbert Drumheller and Mrs. Larry Flam.

Co-chairmen of the decorating committee are Mrs. James McCharlotte Miller assisted Mrs. Brubaker to conduct the party.



Junior Service leaguers take to the fields for their Halloween dance decorations, for which harvest produce will bedeck Brookside Country club Friday evening. Members gathering stalks, left to right, are Mrs. John Leveille Jr., Mrs. Lawrence Flam, Mrs. Herbert Drumheller and Mrs. John G. Ludwick 3d. Helping their mothers, in the foreground left to right, are Bonnie and Stewart Flam, Kay Drumheller and Carol Ludwick.

# Carl Brubakers Give 7-Year-Old Bonnie Masquerade Party

Bonnie Brubaker's seventh birthday was celebrated with a birthday masquerade in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brubaker 168 South Rohland street.

Streamers in Halloween colors curved from the chandelier to each place at the table and the honoree was disguised as Little Bo Peep.

Guests entertained were Mary Roland, Dorothy Skarbek, Donna Borgier, Jill Layner and Jill Miller. Charlotte Miller assisted Mrs. Brubaker to conduct the party.

# Party in Coatesville Veterans Hospital Is Sponsored by Navy Mothers' Club

The Navy Mothers' club sponsored a party in Lounge 58 of the Coatesville Veterans hospital last night. Final plans were made at the club meeting in Emmanuel Lutheran church. Chairlady in charge of the party was Alice Fillman.

# St. Aloysius Social Clubs Plot Halloween Dances

Both Junior and Senior Social clubs of St. Aloysius are marking October's favorite day, Halloween, with dances.

Ballroom dancing will feature the dance of the Junior club on Friday from 8 to 11 p. m. King's Square dancing, called by Bill Morrell, will lead the party tomorrow night at 8:30 for the Senior group.

Committees in charge of the square dance night are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips, prize. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hadley, refreshments. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Salvo, Agnes McGee, Florence Smale, Paul Gass and Lucille Munzer, decorations.

Carl Wilson will be master of ceremonies. Pat Salvo is chairman of the committees.

# Steltz Parents Celebrate 4th Birthday of Ronald

Ronald Steltz's fourth birthday anniversary was celebrated in his home, 1086 Terrace lane, with a Halloween party.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy W. Steltz, parents of Ronald, invited the following guests: Bruce Borneman, Tony, Peggy and Stephanie Kowalski; Stephen Brendlinger, Nancy Prutzman, Rochelle and Sylvia Brownstein, Jean and John Levan, Donald Barndt, Douglas and Richard Bicer and Gregory Becker.

Christine Burdan, Ruth Ann Sands, Sherry Steltz, Dolores Yurdoch, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Borneman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barndt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sands, Mrs. John Burdan, Mrs. Carl Brownstein, Mrs. Garret Prutzman, Marie Becker, Anne Coccie and Ruth Herbin.

# St. Aloysius Social Clubs Plot Halloween Dances

The following mothers made a trip to Philadelphia Naval hospital on Sunday. Laura Leightcap, Ruth Scheidt, Susan Torak, Clara Kneller, Kathryn Guerrero and Marie Endy. Mrs. Calara Kneller is chairlady in charge of the Philadelphia Naval hospital trips.

The club gave a complete layette to Dorothy Walters, mother of Bobby Walters, for her new son born in Sacred Heart hospital, Norristown. Mothers who made the trip to present the layette were Laura Leightcap, Clara Kneller, Helen Ross, Minnie Rhoads and Ruth Heller.

Two checks were donated to the Navy Mothers' club by the Quoit club and, one by Ernest Hunter of Quality Knitting company.

The annual bazaar will be held on Friday, Dec. 5. Booths may be reserved through Marie Endy.

# Bridal Shower Honors Colorado Mission

Unsuspectingly Dorothy Kurtz invited fellow members of the Stutch and Chatter club to her home, 612 North Evans street for the usual Tuesday meeting.

The 'Stutchers' surprised the bride to be when they appeared at her door last night with gifts celebrating her coming marriage to Donald Haag.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kurtz, Miss Kurtz will fly to Colorado on Saturday to meet her fiancé Mr. Haag, the son of Clair Haag 33 High street, is stationed with the US Army at Camp Carson, Colo.

Present were Sara Jane Capp, Marjorie Stofko, Mrs. John W. Leveille Jr., Mrs. David Detar Jr., Mrs. Leonard Bernhardt, Mrs. Donald Paulucci, Mrs. Stanley Stolar, Mrs. David Kerr and Mrs. Frank Kurtz.

# WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

## Ghostly Gnosers Cavort About Cellar Party

Gathering in the basement of Mrs. Samuel Evans, 1058 Terrace avenue, members of the Gnosis class of the First Baptist church celebrated Halloween with a party Monday night.

Co-hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Harold Bunting and Mrs. Merrill Fine.

Ghost cutouts scammed through cornstalks and pumpkins to decorate the cellar where members played games.

Attending were Lolita Grube, Pearl Nevel, Betty Evans, Betty Bunting, Pauline Fine, Bernadine Krezanoski, Christine Shutt and Doris Stein.

Thelma Miller, Jean Borne, Ruth Efring, Joyce Rudick, Barbara Kurtz, Arlene

## Emmanuel Young Adults' Class Sponsors Hayride

A hayride was held by the Young Adults' class of Emmanuel Lutheran church Monday night.

A wagon driven and owned by Donald Specht took 12 members of the class for a ride through the outskirts of Pottstown. Refreshments of doughnuts and cider were taken along.

The following members attended: Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy R. Moyer, Leonard Hatfield, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Specht, Clara Fredericks, Calvin Swavel, Frances Peter.

## Stowe Girl Scouts Hold Halloween Square Dance

Stowe Girl Scouts of troop 13 entertained troop 1 Boy Scouts Monday at a Halloween party in St. Peter's Lutheran church.

Twenty-seven girls and 23 Boy Scouts square danced and performed stunts at the event.

## Church Circle Welcomed By 2 Scherfel Women

Mother and daughter-in-law Mrs. William Scherfel Sr. and Mrs. William Scherfel Jr. were hostesses last night for Guild Circle 5 of First Presbyterian church.

Hostesses at the next meeting for which the Rev. A. Burtis Hall, pastor, will speak are Mrs. Harry Marec and Mary Jane Keim.

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# Activities Reviewed, Plate Job Continued By Sanatoga Scouts

Activities were reviewed and projects pursued by Scouts of Sanatoga Grange troop 20 Monday in the hall.

Memories of the Halloween party at Jane Clayton's Pottstown RD. 4 home were compared; integration of the Sunday attendance at Limerick Non-sectarian church with the program of Girl Scout Week was discussed.

Work was continued on the handicraft project, the creation of black decorated wall plaques from paper plates.

Leading songs and games were leaders Mrs. Spaid, Mrs. Lucien Levegood and Mrs. Milton Detweiler.

Present were Alma Miller, Patsy Morall, Martha Donahue, Janet Levegood, Barbara Suchert, Darlene Gregory, Janet Cote, Linda Spaid, Mary Ann Buckwalter, Darlene Simmons, Joyce Dotterer, Jane Clayton, Beverly Swavel, Mary Kay Steigewall, Brenda and Jean Brendlinger, Dawn Beacraft and Carol Long.



# HOSPITALS

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Admitted: Minnie Hartenstein, 14 Chestnut street, Pottsville, Pa. 17854. Discharged: Mrs. Evelyn Halteman, 1015 North Main street, Pottsville, Pa. 17854.

## Woman's Club Book Reviewers Open Fall With Discussion, Reading of Short Stories

Opening the Book Reviewers group's season was a discussion of short stories by Mrs. Marie Graves, chairman and last night's hostess. After her description of the short story to members of the Woman's club, Mrs. Graves read an illustrative story by O. Henry.

## Navy Club Auxiliary Meets at Endy Home To Plan Card Party

The Navy Club auxiliary met last night in the home of Marie Endy, 335 Chestnut street and discussed tentative plans for a card party to be held in November.

## 2 Local JWVA Women Attend Chester Convention

Two women from the Pottsville auxiliary of Jewish War Veterans attended the Pennsylvania State Department meeting a convention of state JWVA's Sunday in Chester.

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## Your Birthday Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Feick, 436 Chestnut street, 5 years.

## Costume Party Held In Catholic Church By Rainbow Class

The Rainbow class of St. Peter's Catholic church held its annual Halloween party last night in the church social hall for the people of the church.

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## Youth Center to Sponsor Free Masquerade

Pottsville from 13 to 35 will be welcome at the free Halloween masquerade at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

## Marriage Licenses

Application for a marriage license was made in Chester county courthouse West Chester, Pa.

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## Large Turnout Pleases Leaders of Church



Leading figures in the Trinity Reformed church appear pleased with the turnout for the annual congregational dinner last night. Seated in the front row (from the left) are Mary Schaeffer; Mrs. Edward S. Fretz, representing her husband who is elder emeritus; Mrs. John B. Frantz; and Mrs. Norman Lepperd, minister of music. Standing

behind the women (from the left) are Dr. Charles K. Geyer, formerly interim pastor at Trinity Reformed church; the Rev. Frantz, pastor; Hathaway K. Geyer, chairman for the occasion last night; and Oliver L. Christman, toastmaster. (Story on Page 1).

—Mercury Staff Photo

## Stowe's Ike Group Makes Final Plans

West Pottsgrove's Eisenhower committee held its last rally before the election last night at 335 East Vine street. Stowe, and assigned final duties to election workers.

At a meeting attended by 75 persons, officers of the committee delegated territories and compiled car pools to take voters to the polls on election day, Tuesday.

Heading the committee is Herbert Stauffer, president. Working with him in organizing the Stowe Republican party for the election is Daniel Harp, secretary, and Robert Frech, treasurer.

The committee expects to meet the motorcade led by Sen. James H. Duff, tomorrow night, before it returns to Sunnybrook for an Eisenhower rally. The motorcade will begin at Evansburg and go as far as Stowe before turning back to Sunnybrook.

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## Small Nations Assured NATO Will Protect Them

PARIS, Oct. 28 (AP) — Top North Atlantic Treaty organization strategists today guaranteed to protect Western European nations on the fringe of the Iron Curtain.

Leaders in small nations bordering Eastern Europe have frequently expressed the fear that in the event of war NATO might sacrifice them to protect its rear.

In an obvious answer, the NATO standing group and North Atlantic council said in a communique that NATO strategy includes "the defense of all the peoples and territories for which NATO is responsible."



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## Lions To'd Women Outnumber Men as Registered Voters

The male ego of the members of the Pottstown Lions club was slightly deflated last night when they were told that there are more women registered to vote in the United States this year than there are men.

G. S. Pancoast, of the political science department at Ursinus college, said, "This is the first time

in the country's history that this age of eligible American voters is

has happened."

Fifty-two members of the Lions club at last night's regular weekly meeting heard the Ursinus professor describe the trends in voting.

Pancoast declared the percent-

extremely low when compared

with that of the voters in other countries throughout the world.

An appeal was made to the club by C. Edmund Wells, borough solicitor, in behalf of the United Fund to encourage 100 percent member-

ship participation in the drive this year.

One new member was accepted at the meeting last night.

Cost of maintaining colleges and universities in the United States in 1951 was about two billion dol-

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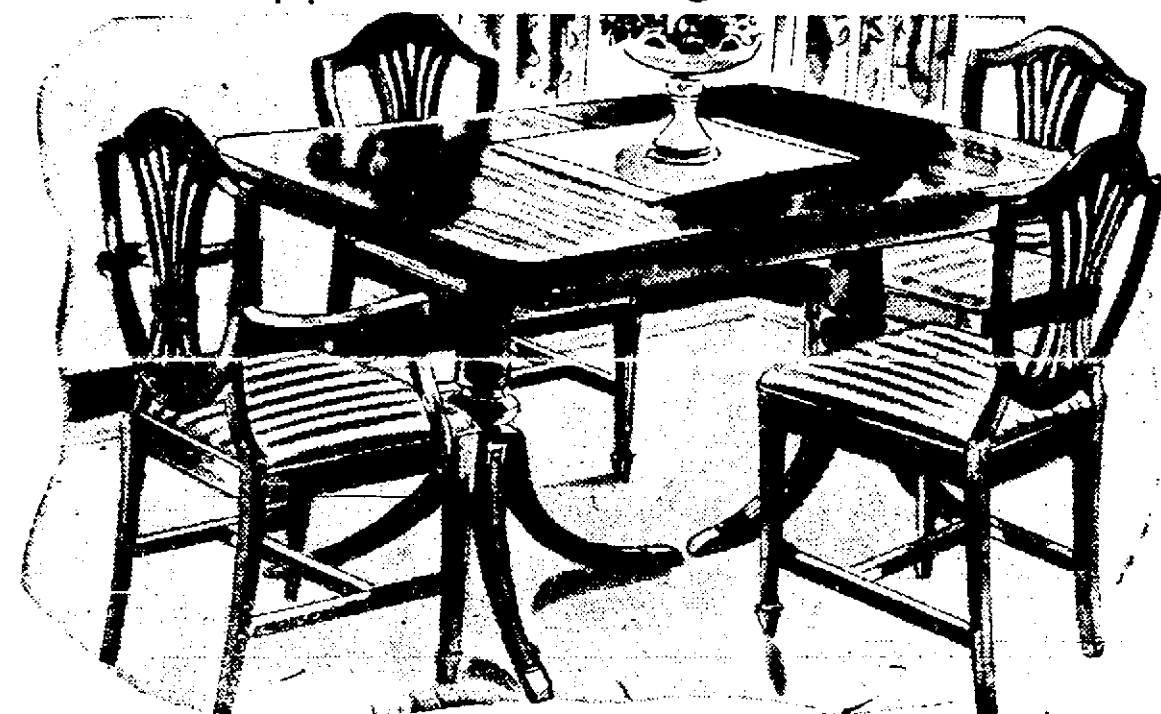
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## Inmates Release 3 Hostages; Will Meet with Prison, State Officials

CHESTER, Ill., Oct. 28 (AP)—Rebellious prisoners at riot-torn Menard State prison tonight agreed to release three of their hostages and meet with prison and state officials.

The agreement between 37 prisoners in the psychiatric division and the prison officials was negotiated by an unidentified press representative. He said the inmates agreed to release the three hostages prior to the conference sometime tomorrow.

This was the first break in the day-old riot, but some 300 inmates still held seven other hostages behind barricades thrown up within the East cell block which stands across the court yard from psychopaths' stronghold.

The press representative, who talked through a small opening in the barricade while standing inside the darkened kitchen carried three pages of convict demands back to prison officials. Warden Jerome E. Munie is to set the time of tomorrow's conference, which is to include the newsmen.

Three hundred inmates in an exercise yard of the psychiatric division stormed their cell block's combination kitchen-dining room shortly after 2 p. m. (Pottstown time).

An emergency call went out

## Dixon Prepares To Visit Rioters

CHICAGO, Oct. 28 (AP)—Lt. Gov. Sherwood Dixon prepared tonight to leave for Menard State prison at Chester in an attempt to quell an outbreak there by some 300 convicts who hold 10 guards as hostages.

Dixon, Democratic nominee for governor, said he has canceled a number of speaking engagements, and added:

"I have talked with Warden Jerome Munie who tells me that the rebellious convicts insist they want to talk to me. I do not intend to compromise or appease (the convicts). All I propose to do is tell them they will get a fair hearing and an opportunity to set forth their grievances with assurance they will be treated in complete fairness."

from State police Capt. Herman Nofs for 50 more state police reinforcements. Seventy State policemen already were on hand.

At 5 p. m., Warden Jerome E. Munie announced a plan for persuading the rebel convicts to end their uprising.

THE 300 convicts bottled up in the East cell block, opposite the psychiatric division, had been without food since the original outbreak late yesterday.

Munie said State Sen. Milton Muller, member of an Illinois legislative committee which recently investigated Menard, had agreed to try to talk the psychiatric division convicts into surrendering their three hostages and returning to their cells.

## ADLAI HITS GOP PLEDGE TO END WAR QUICKLY

Says No One Can Promise Easy Finish to Korea Fighting Now

AVOWS HE'LL REVAMP TAFT-HARTLEY ACT

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—New Yorkers by the tens of thousands turned out today to give Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson a thunderous ovation and the Democratic nominee promised, if elected, to devote his whole "heart, mind and soul" to attempts to end the Korean war.

Speaking in the ballroom of the hotel where Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, his GOP rival, maintains headquarters, the Illinois governor said neither he nor anyone else can promise that there will be peace.

Continuing the criticism he has voiced previously of what he has called "Republican pledges of a 'quick and easy' end to the Korean war, Stevenson said:

"I can't promise you any of these things and no one can and no one should."

STEVENS was introduced at the luncheon, at which more than 2000 members of the women's division of the Volunteers for Stevenson gathered, by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Previously, the Illinois governor had promised at a rally in New York's garment district to make revision of the Taft-Hartley act the "first order of business"—on—the domestic front, if he is elected.

As contrasted to the Eisenhower "crusade" Stevenson said his is "the peoples cause."

Stevenson rode triumphantly through almost unruly crowds in a blizzard of home-made confetti tossed out of the skyscrapers. It was New York's version of the full treatment and by far the biggest welcoming show of the Stevenson campaign.

## Weather Bureau Says Hurricane 'Fox' Is Dead

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 28 (AP)—Hurricane "Fox" was pronounced dead by the Weather bureau today. The storm contained 165-mile winds when it crossed Cuba the past Friday. It killed three and destroyed hundreds of homes in central Cuba, mostly in the town of Aguada de Pasajeros.

It weakened while crossing land. When it drew near southeastern Florida cool, dry air entered its area of circulation. It weakened rapidly as it moved northeast in the Atlantic.

## Handshake From Harry



President Truman shakes hands with engineer Harry Beltz of Mt. Lebanon, Pa., as he leaves the locomotive cab of his campaign train in Pittsburgh after an hour's stay. Truman told reporters "I had lots of fun up there."

## UN Troops Wage Desperate Battle to Regain Pinpoint Hill Lost to Reds in Surprise Attack

SEOUL, Wednesday, Oct. 29 (AP)—Allied infantrymen smashed two Chinese battalions off the crest of bloody Sniper ridge in close-quarter fighting today on the blazing central Korean front.

The United Nations forces regained the height at 10 a. m. after five hours of bitter battle against two Chinese battalions—some 1500 men. It was the seventh time the UN troops had taken the hill in 16 days of vicious battle.

Allied troops—after losing most of the ridge to a moonlight Chinese assault—stormed back in an eerie fog early today.

A bright sun dispelled the murky morning and allied troops approached routes to the north to point hill, before noon. They were supported by a thunderous artillery barrage.

The Allied infantrymen used hand grenades to blast the Communist defenders from the steep slopes, after yielding Pinpoint hill to the Chinese less than 12 hours before.

The surprise, moonlit assault by an estimated 875 Reds Tuesday night was the sixth time in 15 days the Chinese had driven allied forces off Pinpoint—and the allies' early morning counterattack was the seventh drive to regain the height.

AP correspondent John Randolph reported from the central front that five Chinese companies hit the peak without the customary artillery barrage beforehand. Allied troops were forced to withdraw.

## IKE REPEATS Government Calls Provoo Traitor; Charge He Greeted Jap Invaders

PLEDGE TO VISIT KOREAN FRONT

Greeted Throngs in Two Counties as Rooters Block Caravan

CHARGES VOTERS ROBBED OF GOVERNMENTAL PRIDE

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower paraded through 65 miles of crowded Long Island today, telling people they have been let down by an administration he said has "robbed" them of their pride in government.

The Republican Presidential nominee kept on repeating that he intends to go to Korea. He wooed independent voters with a declaration that he hasn't changed a bit. But for the most part, he just kept his hands waving and his smile going through more than two dozen towns in Queens and Nassau counties.

Eisenhower rode the back of a convertible, under skies that changed from sunny, to hazy to dull. Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York rode with him.

Rooters and onlookers by the tens of thousands clustered along the streets to wave and yell a welcome, shower the general with confetti and now and then toss chrysanthemums or roses into his car or in its path.

OCCASIONALLY crowds surged out and stopped the caravan. Occasionally Eisenhower slowed down on his own to shake a hand, inscribe an autograph or chat for a moment. He even had smiles for occasional hecklers from the rival camp of Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois.

White—Eisenhower motorcaded around Long Island, Stevenson was campaigning here in Manhattan and in nearby New Jersey. And the two candidates nearly collided early in the afternoon.

Stevenson made an appearance at a luncheon at the Commodore hotel, where Eisenhower has his campaign headquarters. The Illinois governor had just left when Eisenhower arrived by a side entrance. And the entrance was crowded with women—one of them Stevenson's sister, Mrs. Ernest Ives, waving handkerchiefs and cheering for Stevenson.

## Truman Says GOP Policies Will Lead To Depression Again

HIBBING, Minn., Oct. 28 (AP)—President Truman declared tonight that the policies of Dwight D. Eisenhower's chief backers "are bound to put this country into another Republican depression sooner or later."

Asserting oil, electric power and other millionaires are contributing heavily to the general's campaign in the hope of getting anti-labor and other "special interest" laws passed under a GOP Administration, the President said:

"Maybe the Republican candidate for President doesn't understand what all of his backers are after. Or maybe he just thinks the same way they do, as he has shown on so many of the issues."

Truman's campaign speech for Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson was prepared for a working man audience in this Minnesota community, center of the Mesabi Iron range, after a busy day of whistle-stopping across the state.

AS FOR Captain Thomson's death, the defense called Provoo a mere messenger boy for Japanese officers who demanded special tidbits from Thomson's prison hospital kitchen.

Gottesman said the captain sealed his own doom when he told Provoo:

"You tell those dirty S. O. B.'s I don't want to give them anything."

A short time later, Gottesman went on, the Japanese sent for Thomson, repeated their demands and put him to death when he again refused.

THE STRANGE picture of a Western mind in the grip of Oriental mysticism was drawn as the government opened its case against the 36-year-old Provoo, a tall, erect man with a long, thin face.

The defense admitted Provoo broadcast propaganda for the Japanese but Defense Attorney Murray E. Gottesman told a federal court jury:

"He had no choice in the matter."

French Press Attack

HANOI, Indochina, Oct. 28 (AP)—The French air force heavily attacked supply lines of the Communist-led Vietminh in northwest Indochina today. The enemy tapered off assaults on French positions north of the Black river after losing about 4000 men in killed and wounded in this 13-day-old offensive.

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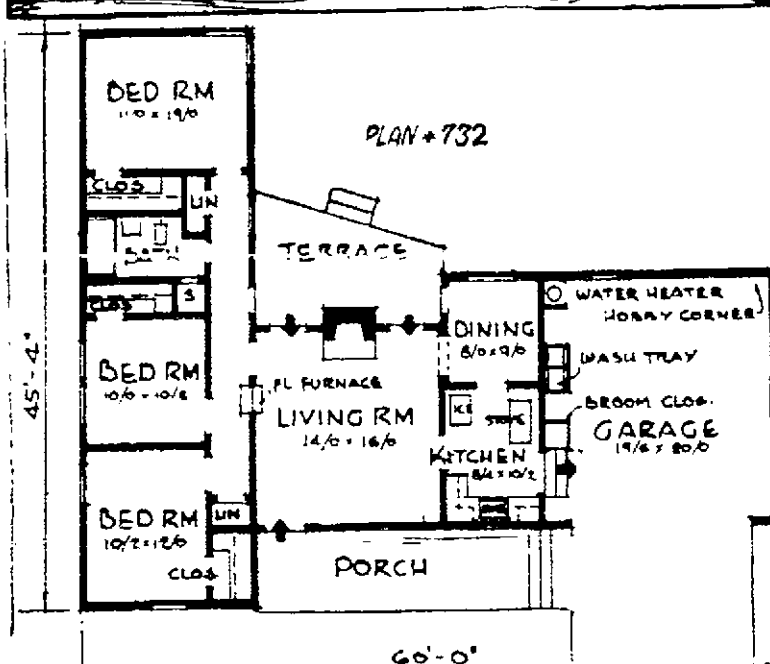
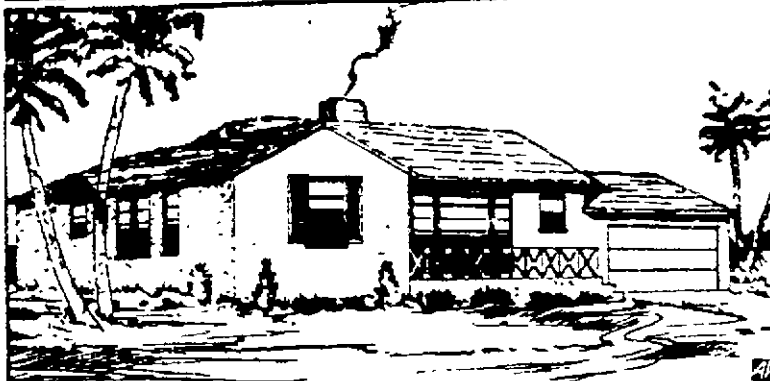
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(Further information and plans available from architect)

## EVANSBURG

Mr. H. R. Yerkes, corr., Phone 5306. H. Hobbs, del., Phone 6000.

Girl Scout troop 48 of Evansburg on Level road. Members present met and received Verda Leshner, Sharon Childress, June Pierce, Kathleen Bibbs and Sally Keck as new members. Mrs. Sara Keck, Mrs. Trueman Eckman, Mrs. Doron Trooper, was also received as an auxiliary. Mrs. Vane Smith, Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. William Walsh and was appointed Scribe. The troop is collecting old clothes, shoes, toys and empty spoons which they will repair and renovate and distribute. Anyone having articles they would care to give will please contact Mary Bean at Collegeville, 7311. The girls are also making scrap books for children's hospital and planning a Halloween party.

Alice Ann Moyer was hostess to members of her P. J. club when they spent the night at her home following the football game. Alice's mother, Mrs. William Moyer, served breakfast to the group the next morning. Members of the club who were present included: Ann Heffelfinger, Joan Hastings, Alice Edwards, Sally Galt, Janet Shainline, Patsy Wells and Nancy Poper.

A. W. Jury, who has been a patient at University hospital for the past few weeks, is reported as improving.

Glenn Jury Loos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Loos, was six years old recently. His parents marked the occasion with a birthday party in his honor. The Hopalong Cassidy theme was used in the decorations and refreshments. Glenn's guests included: Betty Ann and Chris Deising, Mary Ellen and Bernice Cuthbertson, Judy Smith, Wayne Ledger and Caroline Place.

A prayer fellowship was begun on Wednesday evenings at the Evansburg Methodist church. These services, conducted at 7:30 p.m., have been of fine spiritual value to all who have been attending. The pastor, the Rev. Maris Griffiths, is extending an invitation to persons within the community who desire such fellowship to make this service their also. Rev. Griffiths feels there are many prayer problems that can be considered during the fellowship hour. Forward your prayer requests through Mr. B. R. Yerkes, Crosskeys road, Collegeville RD. 2, that the pastor may quickly attend to

# Scouts Take Time off from Duties for Hallowe'en

Boy Scouts who turned up at meetings out of uniform last night didn't have to worry about demerits.

Instead, they expected compliments.

How come?

Well, with Hallowe'en less than a week away, most troops around Pottstown held parties instead of meetings. Masks and costumes were entrance requirements at most of them.

Troops meeting tonight and tomorrow night also will recognize All Saints day. Hallowe'en fun will replace business and ceremonies for them too.

William Glenney, scoutmaster of First Presbyterian troop 3, was among the masked figures at his scouts' festivities, although he was slated to be one of the chaperones at the co-ed party.

Scouts of troop 3 had girl friends and school mates with them as guests for Hallowe'en.

Mrs. Glenney chaperoned the group, including Mr. Glenney until he was unmasked.

Troop 3 will be getting back to work directly, though. Saturday morning they will hang 500 cardboard "liberty bell" voting reminders on Pottstown's front doors.

Grace Lutheran troop 15 Scouts were treated to a party by their troop committee and the ladies' auxiliary. Curtis Borneman and Mrs. W. Mark Henricks arranged the festivities.

THE OTHER LEADERS are James Creswell and Lowell Hurter. A "spook room" was part of the fun at Emmanuel Lutheran troop 8's festivities. All the Scouts who attended were required to pass through the cobwebbed and musty room under the steps to the basement of the church.

New Scouts joining troop 8 from back with their troop after a week-end hike that took them over the Horseshoe Trail from Nantmeal to Hopewell. Scoutmaster George Leskiewicz led the woodland ramble.

Scouts hitting the trail were Leon Copenhaver, Jack Bauer, Ronald Trinkle, Richard Long and James Mante.

Walter Hutt, scoutmaster of American Legion troop 1, announced last night that seven of his scouts were invested with Second Class rank at the recent troop court of Honor.

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Trinity Reformed troop 6 will hold its Hallowe'en party to night at 7 p. m. in the church social room. Assistant Scoutmaster Ecker, Robert Heath, Eugene Joseph Bobb announced last night. St. Aloysius troop 12 has postponed its Hallowe'en celebration.

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LEADERS OF TROOP 15 will plan next month's activities at a Green Bar Patrol meeting to night in the home of Scoutmaster Leonard Yerger. William Shaner is Senior Patrol Leader.

Zion's Reformed troop 5 had a party planned by the Explorer unit of the troop. The ladies' auxiliary of the troop committee sponsored the affair, which took place in the social room of the church.

Ralph Rhoads headed the entertainment committee. He laid out a program calculated to keep even the most active scouts busy, including apple bobbing in tin wash tubs and a cracker-pushing contest.

Dan Pettigrew, assistant scoutmaster of First Methodist Troop 4, emerged from his eight-week role of first aid in this week Mrs. Irvine's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Chesnut, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Evansburg Boy Scout troop No. 1, took their monthly swim at the Pottstown YMCA.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kratz and sons, Robert and David, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Yerkes and family.

Brownie troop 35 of Evansburg held its first meeting at the Henry K. Boyer school with 26 members in attendance. Leaders for the troop are Mrs. William Beatty, Mrs. Robert McMullin, Mrs. Leonard Bibbs and Mrs. James Shott. The troop will have a hike and doggie roast today. All members who wish to go are to meet in front of Boyer school at 12:30 p. m.

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# \$12,000 Asked In Motor Mishap

NORRISTOWN, Oct. 28 — Damages totalling \$12,000 are asked by a Stowe woman and her son in an action filed in the Prothonotary's office.

The plaintiffs are Amelia Stanishski and David W. Zubko, of 533 Lemon street. They name Louis Lass, Pottstown RD 4, and Jacob Keifrider, 344 Jefferson avenue, Pottstown, as defendants.

The action is based on an accident on June 4, 1951 when Zubko, driving his mother's car on Route 422, in Upper Pottsgrove township, was involved in a collision with a tractor-trailer owned by Lass and operated by Keifrider.

The collision ruptured an incision of an appendectomy from which Zubko was recuperating, according to the statement of claim, so that he had to undergo another operation.

He asks \$10,000 and his mother, \$2,000.

OFFICER APPOINTED

SCRANTON, Oct. 28 (AP) — Margaret A. Van Dyke, Schenectady, N.Y., was appointed executive secretary of the Family Service of Scranton and Dunmore at a meeting today of directors of the organization. She will assume her duties Jan. 5.

boarding ceremonies.

The Sea Scouts are almost 100 percent uniformed now in US Navy outfits from which the insignia has been removed. The skipper reported last night that all they still need are a few neckerchiefs and white sailor hats.

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# 1000 Damage Is Told In Collision on Pike

About \$1000 damage resulted to cars involved in an accident on Swamp pike about 300 feet south of Fruitville road, Limerick, yesterday near 4:30 p. m.

Arthur J. Landis, Pottstown RD was traveling north on Swamp pike behind a sedan driven by James E. Pugh Jr., Schwenksville, D. when he rammed into the rear of Pugh's car.

Jeffersonville State police who investigated said Pugh either stopped or slowed down suddenly, causing Landis to hit the lead car.

Pugh's vehicle was pushed off the road and into a telegraph pole when it was struck.

The front ends of both vehicles were badly smashed and the rear of Pugh's car had some body damage. State police reported.

State police estimated damage to Landis' car was \$300 and to Pugh's about \$700.

# Barto Firemen Can Get Heated Up Now

Barto firemen will not have to stay home to keep warm this winter. They have just had heat installed in their new fire hall, it was reported at a meeting last night by the building committee.

Chief Charles Kemp reported that the maintenance committee recently had the company's engine overhauled for winter driving.

Six members of the company recently participated with the engine in the Fire Prevention week parade in Boyertown, it was reported.

President Thomas Forsythe presided at the meeting, which accepted applications from three prospective members.

Next month at the regular meeting the Barto firemen will hold nomination of officers.

Square dances will be held each Saturday night by the ladies' auxiliary in the fire hall during the winter season.

# Key West Is Readied For Truman Vacation

KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 28 (AP)—The Little White house on the Naval station grounds here—President Truman's vacation retreat—is being put in order for occupancy.

It has not been announced whether or not Truman will rest up from the campaign here. Unofficial word is that he is planning a Key West vacation.

The date of Nov. 7 is mentioned as the time of his arrival for several weeks of rest. He would return to Washington with only about a month of his term in office remaining.

# Youth Killed in Truck Crash

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pinning them there.

The windshield in front of Schwartz was shattered, apparently where his head had hit it.

JAMES ROONEY, Philadelphia, the gasoline truck driver, said he had stopped behind the auto of Harvey Prince, 801 Sheridan street, which had run out of fuel and was parked on the shoulder of the highway.

He stopped, he said, because his company's policy is for its drivers to give gasoline to any motorist stranded by lack of fuel.

Moments after Rooney stopped, the panel truck rammed the rear of his truck, its rear swinging around onto the inner lane of the highway.

William Shotz, Birdsboro, a bartender returning from work at St. Gabriel's lodge, Stowe, drove Yanos to the hospital.

# Miners Return to Pits After 1-Week Strike; Says Town Officials Expect Full Increase

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Practically all the nation's 375,000 soft-coal miners went back to work today after a one-week strike, confident they'll get the full amount of their recently-negotiated pay increase.

The back-to-work movement began yesterday after President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers told the diggers to resume production until the Government rules finally on their \$1.90 a day pay raise.

This raise, negotiated by Lewis and the coal industry, was later reduced to \$1.50 by the Wage Stabilization board on the grounds that anything more than that would be inflationary.

Miners had been making \$18.35 a day under the old contract. The WBS's decision slashed them from an expected \$18.25 daily to \$17.85.

AT ONLY one point was there a refusal of miners to re-enter the pits—at 10 Consolidated Coal company mines at Tracy City, Tenn.—and it was not certain that this holdout had anything to do with the miners' pay raise.

Matt Bunch, UMW representative for the district, said he does not know what the trouble is. He plans to visit the mines to find out. The operations employ several hundred men.

In West Virginia, the biggest coal producing state with 115,000 miners, a union leader declared "the situation is almost normal."

There were about seven million high school students in the United States in 1951.

# Addition to School To Be Put on View

The new \$200,000 addition to the Collegeville - Trappe Joint High school completed the past August will be open for public inspection tonight from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock.

Howard B. Keyser, supervising principal, reported that the new wing, which completes the front of the school as planned 13 years ago, has been used by pupils since school opened the past month.

Comprising the new wing are three classrooms measuring 22 by 30 feet and one over-sized classroom utilized for art and music study with dimensions of 22 by 45 feet. On the lower level of the school there is a cafeteria that will accommodate 260 pupils, a storeroom and a kitchen.

With the completion of the front, Keyser said that the school's next project will be to complete the rear wing which calls for four more classrooms and auditorium.

# ADLAI'S TRAIN —

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mated crowd of 5000-7500 spectators expected at the station.

The Volunteers for Stevenson will drive in a motorcade to the station and a sound truck will play music before and after the Governor's appearance.

The sound truck will tour the borough and surrounding communities today to announce the candidate's scheduled appearance.

Tentative plans call for Burgess Griffith to introduce Carroll Rutter, who will introduce Governor Stevenson.

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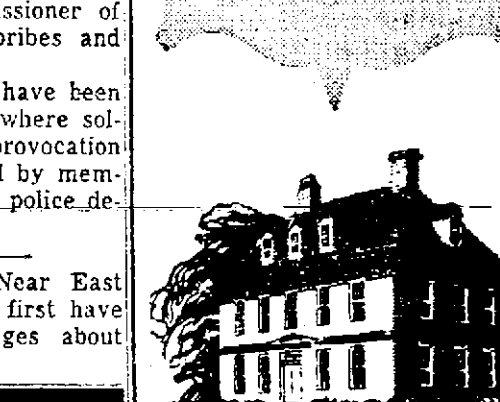
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# Cock Fight Photos Bring Sharp Protest

LONDON, Oct. 28 (AP)—News photos of the Duke of Kent at a cock fight in Borneo roused a sharp protest today from Britain's league against cruel sports.

The league issued a statement saying it deplored the Duke's attendance at "a cruel sport which has for years been illegal in Britain."

The Duke is touring Britain's Far East colonies with his mother, the Duchess of Kent, an aunt of Queen Elizabeth II.

# Cast Vole, Then Pray Grange Leader Advises

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 28 (AP)—A past master of the National Grange called on Grange members today to vote and after the election "drop on your knees and offer silent prayer for guidance" for the next President of the United States.

Louis J. Taber, of Syracuse, president of an insurance company, told the 80th annual session of the Massachusetts Grange that "every church in America should offer prayers for wisdom for the next President in services this Sunday."

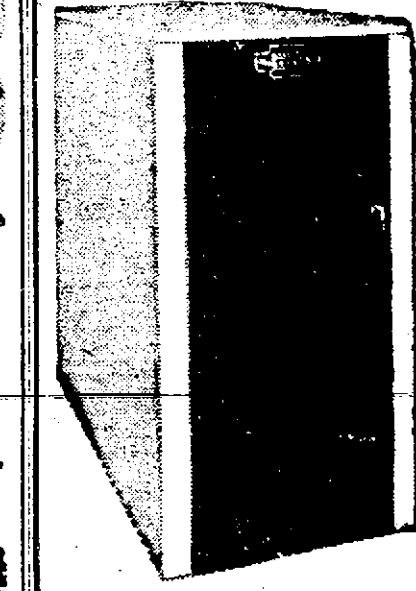
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# Roy Rogers, Dale Evans Adopt Tiny Indian Girl

DALLAS, Oct. 28 (AP)—Cowboy movie star Roy Rogers and his wife, Dale Evans, have adopted a tiny Choctaw Indian girl here.

The couple planned to leave with the 7-month-old child today for their home at Encino, Calif.

They adopted the child from Hope Cottage here.

They named her, "Little Doe."

Rogers says he is part Choctaw Indian himself.

He has five other children, three of whom are adopted.

# Railroad Worker Shoots Estranged Wife Then Self

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Bursting into a family group watching television, a railroad worker shot and killed his estranged wife and then took his own life with a shotgun while four witnesses gasped in horror.

Killed were Mrs. Antoinette Raymer, 24-year-old mother of two; and Ernest Raymer, who had previously made an unsuccessful effort to win a reconciliation with his wife.

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# Garden Jam-Packed For Stevenson Rally

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Madison Square Garden was filled and closed and police turned back thousands tonight even before a Democratic rally for Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson got underway.

Fifteen minutes before the program started, and more than two hours before the appearance of Stevenson, the Democratic Presidential candidate, nearly all the Arena's 17,500 seats were full.

At least the legal limit of 1000 standees filled space in the aisles, and the Garden, double lines of police stood with arms linked to keep back the crowds. In all meet Monday and Tuesday nights directions other police were urging, "go back, go back, the Garden is closed."

Many did turn away, but many others kept coming, to swell the crowds that pressed against no-handle 6000 tons of sugar beets barricades around the arena, daily.

# Optimist Clubs to Get International Charter

Five clubs within the Pottstown Junior Optimist club will be presented charters from the Optimist International in the YMCA Nov. 11, it was announced last night.

Duncan Hunsberger, boys work chairman of the senior Optimist club, said E. R. Diven, lieutenant governor of the Optimists' second district, will make the presentations.

The recipients will be two wood and two craft clubs and a stamp club. The Junior Optimists' bar-monica and camera clubs already have been chartered.

Membership in the clubs, which in all meet Monday and Tuesday nights at the Y, totaled 93 last night with the acceptance of four new members.

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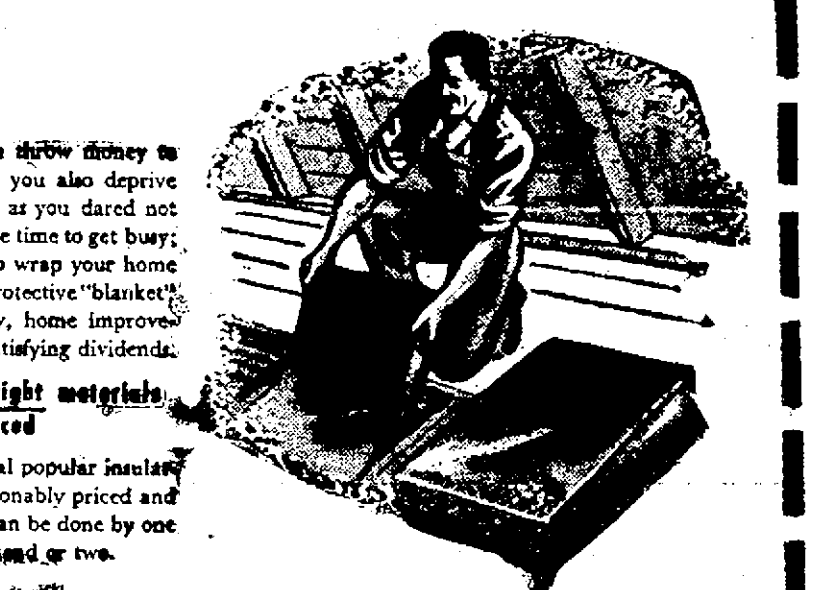
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# SCHOOL DAYS

News stories on the activities of pupils in public schools are being written by pupils and teachers themselves. The name of the writer is carried above each article.



In Pottstown Elementary Schools

## Mrs. Arndt's First Grade Makes Pumpkin Face Masks for Holiday

Mrs. Arndt's First grade made brought pictures for the bulletin board. To complete the booklet, each boy and girl drew a free hand map of the State, mounted it on construction paper for the cover, writing classes. Several children contributed to the discussion by bringing in articles and products of interest in Pennsylvania.

Reports were made on: Hope-well village, Christiana Grigg; Valley Forge, Mike and Mel Stephens; Roadside America, at Hamburg, Richard E. Fotts; Philadelphia stores, Jody Knauer; Franklin Institute, Dennis Leh; Betty Ross' house and the Liberty Bell, Penny Grow; Mount Penn in Reading, Patty Gavin.

Mrs. Weimer's Second grade has made a Pennsylvania booklet. Writing stories about Pennsylvania was a large part of the English and, made in the State, while others

Each group took something to report about. Reports were on maps, Indians, transportation, clothing and living in Mexico. They also were illustrated.

In one of the box pictures we made an Aztec Village with a pyramid in the distance.

Maps were drawn by another group in our class. The maps shown were: population, rainfall, and product and relief map. A Mexican flag was drawn.

## 4th Graders Study Pennsylvania History

The Fourth grade of the Washington school observed Pennsylvania Week by studying the history and geography of the State.

Reports were given on Valley Forge, Joseph Maslip, Daniel Boone, Janet Grow; Quakers, Judy Hampton; population and area, Robert Zimmerman; mining, Terrence Sparr; manufacturing, Anita Fulmer; agriculture, Floyd Freese; vacation spots, Sharon Acker; Gettysburg, Lee Steiner and Bill Weber; State flowers, trees, birds, seal and flag. Patricia Swinehart and Robert Richards; authors, artists and musicians, Judy Weidner and Marie Bailey; Philadelphia, Mary Dolas; The Declaration of Independence, James Cooper.

## Election of Class Officers Held in Millard's Room

Mr. Millard's room held election of officers. The results are president, Daner Reider; vice president, Robert Ruthowski; secretary, Barbara Morgan; treasurer, Carol Swartzkopf.

After the meeting the class was entertained by David Harvey and Susan Schoenly.

Happy birthday to these Sixth graders who were 11 years old in October: Maurice Sell, Myron Keim, Barbara Morgan, Robert Miller and Lee Schumacher.

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## Election of Directors Planned for Meeting Of Producers Group

The election of directors for the coming year will be held by the Tri-County Producers Co-operative association at their 21st annual membership meeting, November 12 at the Eagles home association.

The program also will include a business session with the presentation of the annual financial report and a report from the board of directors.

Principal speaker will be Jean Singer, a second year student at West Chester State Teachers college who attended the International Farm Youth Exchange conference in Switzerland in 1951.

The association comprises poultrymen living in Montgomery, Berks, Chester, Dauphin, Schuylkill and Lebanon counties who market eggs and poultry at the plant in Worcester, Montgomery county.

Pottstown area members of the association's board of directors are: M. W. Bennett, president, Roversford RD, Walter B. Lutz, Barto; D. B. Christman, Elverson, Wilmer H. Reiff, Collegeville RD 1 and Clarence H. Zeigler, Telford RD 2.

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## Youth Center to See Film on Missionary

A motion picture telling the story of a World War II American who became a missionary will be shown at the Pottstown Youth center, Firestone boulevard, Saturday at 7:45 p. m.

The film traces the pilot's story from his days at a bomber training school to the Japanese prison camp where his experiences convinced him to become a missionary to the Orient.

The motion picture is presented by the School of Missions, Seattle Pacific college.

Stanley Hallman, director of the youth center, said the film is free to all interested in seeing it.

## 6 Convicts Use Fog To Hide Escape Try From Oregon Prison

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 28 (AP)—Six desperate convicts used fog as a cover for an escape attempt early today but ran into two obstacles: a line of armed guards on the wall and a gate that wouldn't break.

Three of the six are convicted murderers.

Two convicts suffered flesh wounds when guards opened fire. Five guards, nabbed and tied up when they went outside the segregation unit to see what was up, were not hurt.

Deputy Warden Lawrence O'Brien said a guard saw one man loose in the corridor at the segregation unit and went out to check the exterior. Four others went with check inventories of coal stock him and each was grabbed as he piles at TVA plants.

O'Brien said a new segregation unit would be completed next year and until then convicts can be expected to continue to get out of their cells by springing the soft steel bars. This was the fourth escape attempt this year.

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## VEEP CANDIDATE DELAYED

STOCKTON, Calif., Oct. 28 (AP)—Fog over Eugene, Ore., delayed US Sen. John Sparkman's flight to that city for three hours today. He was originally scheduled to leave at 8 a. m. but the plane was held until 11 a. m. and was due in Eugene about 2:30 p. m.

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# NATIONAL ISSUE SEEN KEY TO LOCAL CONTESTS

Exception May Be Luzerne  
County Fight Between  
Flood and Bonin

HARRISBURG, Oct. 28 (AP)—The first election under Pennsylvania's new Congressional reapportionment law will cost at least three incumbents their seats.

Issues in the Presidential campaign dominate the Congressional races throughout the State. Tuesday's voting in the presidential fight is likely to determine for the most part the winners in local districts.

A possible exception may be Rep. Daniel J. Flood in the 11th district which comprises Luzerne county, home county of Gov. John S. Fine.

Flood is a Democrat who time after time has been able to swing a sizeable bloc of Republican votes to his column. His GOP opponent is Mayor Edward J. Bonin of Hazleton. The 1951 Legislature was forced by population changes uncovered by the 1950 census to reduce Pennsylvania's Congressional delegation from 33 to 30. The present margin in the delegation is 20 Republicans and 13 Democrats.

ONE OF THE MOST interesting battles is expected in the 10th district between two incumbents—Democratic Harry P. O'Neill, Scranton, and Republican Joseph L. Carrigg, Susquehanna.

O'Neill's previous district was Lackawanna county and a big Democratic registration there had been enough to elect him to two terms.

The reapportionment law, however, tacked on four Republican dominated counties—Wyoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Wayne—onto the Lackawanna district.

Registration figures in the five county district now are just about even. Totals are 99,224 Republicans and 99,204 Democrats.

In the 19th district, where Democratic incumbent James F. Lind enjoyed a slight edge, Republicans now have a registration advantage of 85,144 to 73,962 for the Democrats. Lind's opponent in New York district—York, Adams and Cumberland—is S. Walter Stauffer.

INCUMBENTS ARE fighting each other in the 26th and 28th districts.

Republican Edward L. Sittler Jr., Uniontown, is expected to have an uphill battle against Democrat Thomas E. Morgan in the 26th district which now embraces the Democratic-dominated counties of Greene, Fayette and Washington.

In the 28th district, a part of Allegheny county, Democrat Herman P. Eberhart is viewed as having an edge over Harman D. Denny, Republican.

Elsewhere over the State, a tight race is expected between George M. Rhodes, Democratic incumbent, and Republican James W. Bertollet, a former congressman, for the Berks county seat.

Republicans made inroads in last year's municipal elections in Berks county, although Democrats still have a registration margin of 67,296 to 43,316. Both parties are pulling out

## English Town Losing Ground in Battle With Sea



Great Lakes communities which have considerable erosion problems of their own can sympathize with the citizens of Selsey, England, where the ocean is eating away the shore at the rate of 50 yards a year. Already 34 acres have been claimed, putting a cathedral and a park under water.

all stops in Philadelphia's six congressional fights. Untouched by reapportionment, the seats are now divided four Democrats and two Republicans.

Rep. Francis E. Walter, Easton Democrat, is favored for re-election to an 11th term. The fight has upset possibilities because of an intensive campaign conducted by his GOP opponent, John R. Craig, Bethlehem RD 1.

### COLLEGEVILLE

Mrs. Thelma Landes, corr. Phone Collegeville 4111. Kenneth Wanner, del. Phone Collegeville 5942.

Mrs. Harry Buckwalter, 2 Main street, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oliver K. Grimley, Washington Square Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook, King Manor, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, William Steward, at Montgomery hospital, Norristown. The Cooks are former Collegeville residents.

Mrs. Geoffrey Dolman, Ninth avenue, was hostess to members of her bridge club when she entertained them at her home.

Thomas Haines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haines, Cassel and Landes road, Collegeville RD 1, observed his seventh birthday anniversary. A family party marked the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fuller, 78 Second avenue, had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sander, Kutztown.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Hatfield, Glenwood avenue, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Benning, Highland Park.

The Collegeville-Trappe branch of the Women's Christian Temper-

ance union met at the home of the president, Mrs. Harry Buckwalter, 2 Main street.

Mrs. Robert C. Lock, Mill and Heiser roads, Collegeville RD 1, who is director of the White Ribbon Recruit for the WCTU, announced the first service of this newly organized unit was held Sunday evening at the Plymouth Congregational Evangelical church in Plymouth Meeting. Mrs. Lock directed the service, and nineteen children participated in it.

The WCTU also will sponsor a temperance speech contest in the high school in the near future, similar to the one held in the Norristown schools. Attending were Mrs. Harvey Moyer, Mrs. Frank Hunsberger, Trappe; Mrs. William Borneman, Limerick; Mrs. R. C. Lock and Mrs. Harry Runyan, Collegeville RD 1; Mrs. Ervin Shainline, Second avenue; Mrs. Carl Petri and Mrs. Harry Buckwalter, both of Main street; Mrs. Christian Wismer, Eighth avenue, and Mrs. Earl Y. Kirkner, Main street.

Guests were Mrs. Joel B. Fran-

cois, Sixth avenue; Mrs. Jesse Hoff, man and Mrs. Levi Zeigler, both of Mill road, Collegeville RD 1.

Frank Rahn, who makes his home with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Speilman, 83 West Fifth avenue, has returned from Memorial hospital, Pottstown, where he was under observation after suffering from a fall.

### HEARING DELAYED

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Hearing of a homicide charge against Elmer Schuer, only survivor of three desperadoes who escaped from Lewisburg, Pa., federal penitentiary in September and later fought a battle to death with police, was adjourned today until Nov. 13.

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## HARMONYVILLE

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Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Goss, Cedarville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lewis and family, Downingtown, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Green.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. George Porter and family, Sanatoga, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCalicher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Murray and daughter, Judy, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fisher, Kenilworth, spent a weekend in the Pocono mountains.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Nyce entertained Doctor Jaffee, Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCalicher and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ibach and son, Robert, spent a weekend in the Pocono mountains.

## Aid to Secret Service Pays Woman \$100

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Helping Secret Service agents nab a counterfeiter paid off today for a housewife in suburban Mt. Lebanon.

She is Mrs. Louis Roswick who received a \$100 check from the Treasury department for helping in the arrest of Raymond C. Pearce, who palmed off a phony \$100 bill the past June in Chicago, where she was working in an airline office. Pearce is now serving a three year prison sentence.

Mrs. Roswick drew a sketch of the man from memory which led to his arrest.

## SALLY'S SALLIES



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## Biggest Carrier Plane Completes First Flight

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—The Navy announced today the largest airplane ever designed for aircraft carrier operations had made its first flight at Edwards Air Force base, Murdock, Calif.

It is the A3D, built by the Douglas Aircraft corporation. The Navy described it as the first swept-wing jet heavy attack aircraft to be successfully flown. The A3D, which has not yet been given a name, flew for 30 minutes today.

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# Opening of Small Game Season Still Undecided by State Officials

Harrisburg is still kicking around the question of whether or not to delay the opening of small game hunting season because of the forest fire threat.

The rain that fell in this section was not general throughout the State. In the western reaches of Pennsylvania where the real fire danger lies, only occasional snow flurries fell, which leaves the important question still up in the air.

Locally, the avid hunting element is straining at the rifle strap or the opening whistle. Many men have saved their vacations for the hunting season, and a postponement or cancellation would cause them the most concern.

A few of the area sportsmen in his situation are:

Felix and Leo Szymanski, 704 Beech street.

Jennings B. Frey and son Paul, and Tom Marsteller, all of Amityville.

Brooke Levengood, electrician critical regarding the State's stand.

Clarence Zern, of Bechtelville, Howard Weitz, 208 North Charlotte street.

Lester Stetler, 121 King street.

Voicing the same opinion as most of the others, Stetler said last night:

"I'll just have to take my vacation anyhow. There are probably lots of other fellows at the plant (Bethlehem Steel where Stetler works) in the same boat as I am."

None of the local hunters were critical regarding the State's stand.

## POTTSTOWN MERCURY



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### Don Kovach, 1st Two-Time Winner Of Mercury's Weekly Grid Contest

Don Kovach, 250 Walnut street, became the first two-time winner of the year in The Mercury's Football Forecasters' contest over the past week, topping a large field for the first prize.

Kovach finished in the runnerup spot a couple of weeks back, but there was no stopping him this time as he outgassed the six other finalists who missed the Penn-Navy tie.

Nobody picked the Middle-Quaker (Kovach) in the contest, and that was the only name that Kovach missed.

In second spot was Ken Pace, 163 Grant street. Kovach is to be the recipient of four tickets to Saturday's Trojan-Berwyn game at Franklin field, with Pace eligible for a pair of tickets to the same game.

The closest guess of the week among the finalists was Tom Ibach's near-miss of the Texas-Rice game, won, 20-7, by the Longhorns. Ibach picked it for 21-7.

Kovach was next in regards to losing picks, missing Duke's 21-7 win over Virginia by but two points. Pace was another point farther off on the Duke tilt also, and missed Notre Dame's 34-14 conquest of North Carolina by but four.

### Steelers' Finks Sick

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Star quarterback Jimmy Finks of the Pittsburgh Steelers was sidelined by a virus infection today but officials said he is expected to be ready for a National Football League game with the Washington Redskins at Washington Sunday.

Coach Joe Bach said end George Tays and halfback Howard Hartney, both defensive stars, are expected to play against Washington. They have been sidelined by injuries.

### Meet the Trojans

This will be a regular MERCURY feature to acquaint football fans with players on the Pottstown High school team.

AL BODOLUS, Sophomore left halfback . . . Shows greatest potentialities of all the Trojan backs . . . Has best ground gaining average on squad with 7.7 yards per try . . . Used sparingly on offense but plays regular defensive halfback post . . . Leads team in interceptions with four . . . "Bo" is a slender 150 pounds on a 5'11" frame . . . Looks fragile but can hit line hard and very adept at running quick opener plays . . . Has been playing great deal of offensive ball for the jayvees . . . In Monday's junior varsity game, his blocking was vital factor in team's victory . . . Played with Junior High team the past season as a regular most of the campaign . . . Also plays baseball and basketball . . . Was a member of the City Softball league the past summer and selected to loop's all-star team as an outfielder . . . Competes as a pole vaulter on the track team . . . Showed good promise as a quarter miler in Fall grid sessions by running the 440 in fast time although hampered by football shoes . . . Is 16 years old and wears jersey No. 23 . . . His older brother, Carl, was in and is now playing for George Washington University . . . Lives with father, Michael Bodolus, 876 Queen street . . . Coaches predict he can be a Trojan great if he keeps up with studies and takes grid chores seriously.



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### Leading Jockey

Jockey Ronald Nash was the leading stakes winner during the 1952 Delaware Park meeting. The Canadian veteran won three stakes worth a total of \$63,325.

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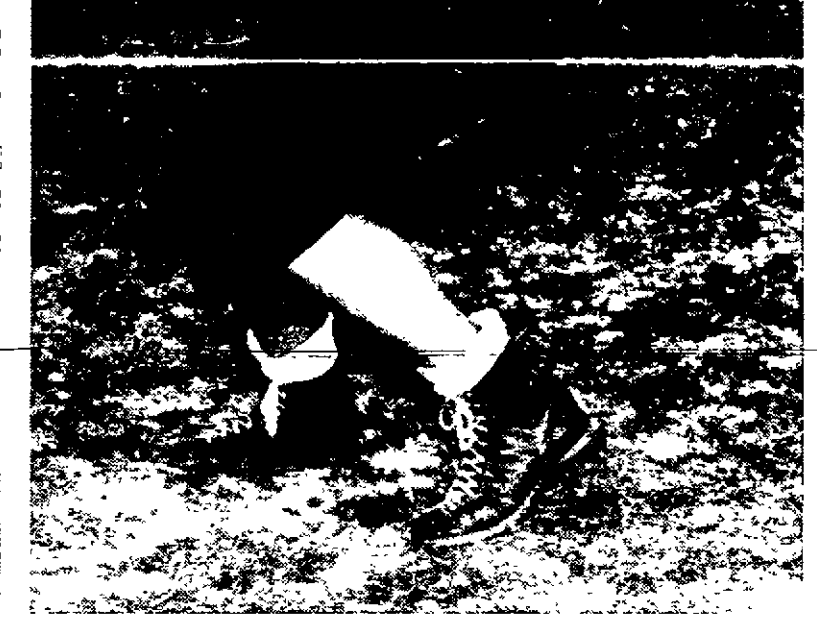
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## Happy Tosser



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### Stahl to Man Deep Defense Post, Chernesky Moves in Behind Line

The Trojans went to the movies yesterday while it rained and saw some things they liked, and a few other flickers that strayed a bit from the script.

Pictures of the West Chester game revealed that the blocking at times was exceptional; at others, it was erratic. After the movies a blackboard session was held covering defense.

### Percy Bassett Beats Riley in Close 10

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—Percy Bassett of Philadelphia won a split verdict over Charley Riley of St. Louis tonight in a closely-fought featherweight boxing match.

Bassett, rated by the National Boxing Association as No. 1 challenger in the US for the featherweight title held by Sandy Saddler, won the 10-rounder on votes by Judges Benny Alperstein and Charley Buck. Referee Harry Volkman had Riley in front.

### LOCAL SPORTS

Rain caused a postponement of the Hill school sixth and Junior High second team game at the Hill yesterday afternoon. The game will be played Thursday afternoon, the day preceding the Golden Cubs' game at Bridgeport.

The Franklin vs. Ruppert game in the Elementary touch football league at Franklin field was also postponed. It will be held Friday afternoon. Thursday Jefferson and Washington-St. Clair will meet.

The Trojanettes girls hockey team has scheduled a game with Boyertown on the Bearett's field Thursday. This was not formerly on the schedule.

Also on Thursday, the High School jayvee seconds will meet The Hill fourths at the Hill school.

### Johnny Saxton Wins No. 33

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 28 (AP)—Johnny Saxton of Brooklyn, N. Y., won his 33rd straight victory tonight with a fourth round TKO over Mario Trigo of Mexico City.

Trigo was saved by the bell in the second round and was felled by a right to the chin just as the third round ended. He rose to his feet but toppled forward and referee Dauber Jaeger signaled the end of the scheduled 10-round bout.

Saxton weighed 146½ to Trigo's 142½.

### THE FIGHTS

Uline Arena as part of a triple-header boxing benefit for the Deborah Tuberculosis sanatorium. A crowd of 2782 paid a gross of \$10,752.80 to see the show.

Troy ran his professional victory string to 17 straight in downing Kilgore. Referee Ray Brown stopped the fight after two minutes and 37 seconds of the seventh round, after Kilgore had been down twice for counts of nine.

Highlight of the Funari-Cooper struggle was a knockdown scored in the tenth and final round by Cooper, who fought a rugged battle all the way. Funari took a count of nine, but got up to finish strong.

### STOPPING THE Bulldogs early seems to be the best way to beat them. Coach Bill McCabe, who has been scouting Berwyn the past two games, says they start in a hurry trying to apply a knockout punch.

They tried it against Coatesville and failed, but had enough left at the end to pull a big surprise with a 20-13 victory.

### Best Detroit Crowd

The 56,822 fans that watched the 1952 Detroit Lions-San Francisco 49er game was the largest crowd ever to watch a football game in Detroit.

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## Bonus Rule Places \$6000 Limit for New Young Talent

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Baseball's major-minor executive council drew up a new bonus rule today which would put a \$6000 limit on bonuses given to promising young ballplayers and make it hard for clubs to retain all players given a bonus.

In a hush-hush meeting in commissioner Ford Frick's office, a special committee which had been wrestling for several months with the problems of tremendous bonuses for untried players recommended a new bonus rule much stronger than any of its predecessors.

Under the rule, which will be presented to the 16 major league club owners for ratification at the annual winter meetings in Phoenix, Ariz., next December, all owners would promise—in a sort of "Gentlemen's agreement"—not to offer more than \$6000 to a player. The controversial bonus rule was repealed by the same owners two years ago, and baseball has operated without any restrictions on the size of bonuses since then.

All items discussed at the parley were held strictly "hush-hush." None of the committee members would even hint as to the details of their business, let alone the extent of bonus restrictions recommended by the committee, headed by Frank Lane of the Chicago White Sox.

The major-minor executive council met today to consider recommendations for the agenda at the Winter meetings in Phoenix next December, was the terse statement issued from the commissioner's office. "No other announcement will be forthcoming."

IT WAS LEARNED, however, that the new bonus law was the chief topic of discussion.

The new bonus rule will be somewhat similar to the old one which called for a \$6000 "ceiling" for major, Triple A, Double A leagues and open classification; a \$4000 top bonus for Class A and a \$3000 limit for other classifications. The player receiving more than the limit now must be brought up to the major league club within a year after signing, or be subject to unrestricted draft.

The big differences in the newly proposed bonus law, however, are that more "teeth" will be put into it in order to enforce it and that more severe punishment will be meted out to violators.

## Taggin' Along

With Ed Taggart

### SAM GREEN INJURED BUT READY HILL'S GILBERT SPECIALIZING

Duels are outlawed in this modern age, but one that started two years ago will be resumed Saturday afternoon on the University of Pennsylvania's Franklin field.

The situation is not quite as serious as "High Noon," but Sam Green is out to get his man. The victim in mind happens to be Joe Varaitis, bone-crushing fullback for the U of P.

Green, Trojan fullback delux of the 1948-49 era, and presently the hottest boy in tackling clothes on the Penn State campus, will be among the brightest second year men in the Sophomore studded Nittany Lion team when it plays Penn Saturday.

In a phone conversation with Penn State Coach Rip Engle last night we were informed:

"Sam will be ready to go Saturday. He played a marvelous game against Michigan State last Saturday, the same as he's been doing all season."

All the boys on the team like Sam very much, and there isn't a harder working player on the squad. He has probably made more tackles than anyone on the team and if he continues to improve—well there is no telling how great he will become."

When asked if Sam was hurt in the Michigan State game, Engle said, "Yes, but we feel sure he'll be okay for Penn. It was a very tough battle and few of the boys came through without some sort of a bruise."

"SAM HURT" his arm and suffered a groin injury but a week's rest will bring him back in shape. He has been relieved from the hard scrimmages. He played a whale of a game in the first half but we had to keep him on the bench in the last two quarters and that's when they (the Spartans) really rolled. Quite a team!"

It was good news to hear that Greenie will be backing up the line against Penn's top runners, Varaitis, Don Zimmer and Bill Deuber. While Zimmer and Deuber can expect rough treatment from Green, the transplanted guard will be especially careful to try and cut down Varaitis' rushing average.

Trojan fans will recall the recent defensive battles waged by Green against Joe and his 1949 Swoyersville champs. For one half Varaitis thought he was running into the proverbial stone wall. But actually it was Green who paced the Blue and White to a 0-0 halftime score against the heavily favored Spartans.

With Sam on the bench during much of the second half because of injuries, Varaitis and company were not to be denied and rung up a 26-0 win.

The odds will not be stacked against Green in the second meeting of the pair. Penn and Penn State are rated about even. Barring injuries, Sam Green can fulfill his wish of stopping Varaitis for 60 instead of 30 minutes.

Lots of acclaim, has been directed towards Pottstown High's George Smith for his game winning conversion against West Chester. But down at the Hill school, the extra point record being compiled by a football neophyte has gone comparatively unnoticed. John Gilbert is the Blue's specialist, and after a late start has kicked five out of six extra point attempts—plus a 27-yard field goal.

His addition to the squad came in a most unusual manner. After the Hill won its opener, 12-7, Coach Jack Riley realized the lack of a conversion artist would prove costly in later games.

To his pleasant surprise, the 150-pound Gilbert called on Riley and requested a chance to do the point after touchdown kicking. Being an accomplished golfer, Gilbert has transformed a smooth No. 9 iron swing into a good foot-mashie motion that has him kicking almost a par score in the EP department.

OTHER THAN his booting duties he has seen no game action but he enjoys the scrimmages and takes part whenever Riley is willing to risk his investment.

His lower extremity artistry drew the attention of one of the greatest kickers of all time, Ken Strong, at the past Saturday's game at Blair. Strong, who set records both in baseball and football, complimented Gilbert in the dressing room after the game.

Strong also told Riley that he would like to attend a game at the Hill in the future. If young Gilbert can continue his remarkable booting, it may attract the former New York Giant great, back for a second look.

## 49ers Replace Browns as Top Pro League Ground, Air Gainers

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—San Francisco replaced the Cleveland Browns to lead in total yards gained in the National Football League, the 49ers gaining 334 yards in their most recent game while the Browns were registering 236.

The Pacific Coast team has a passing with 1144 yards. In second place is Green Bay, exactly 100 yards behind the Browns. Philadelphia ranks third with 861, Pittsburgh fourth with 835, and Detroit fifth, with 778.

Green Bay maintains its third place of a week ago with 1761 yards, followed by the Chicago Bears with 1420, and Pittsburgh with 1380.

San Francisco has a lead of more than 300 yards in the ground gaining department.

Their hard running backs have gained 1148 yards. The Chicago Cards rank second with 817, followed by Washington with 816, the New York Giants with 814, and Green Bay, 777.

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# Grange Hears Tree Conservation Talk

The importance of tree conservation was stressed by Mrs. E. Weiss, lecturer for the Valley Grange of Red Hill, at the Grange meeting last night.

She told the 30 members present that trees provide a means of conserving moisture in the summer and keeping the area cool. They also serve to retard flooding, according to the lecturer.

"If you cut down one tree you should plant five in its place," she advised the grange.

James Wood Jr., spoke of the organization on the importance of voting in the national election.

# BAND WON'T PLAY —

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chose, only half the band members appeared.

Roberts countered by noting the motion as made did not direct the band to appear, so "if school doesn't start until 8:20, it wouldn't hurt if the band thumped a drum and played a little bit."

He then withdrew his motion and observed that the first motion permitting all the pupils to arrive later for school included the band, too.

Carroll L. Rutter, borough Democratic chairman, later told a reporter with reference to the board's failure to approve the band's appearance at the Stevenson reception:

"Seldom are we favored with the presence of someone of such national importance and regardless of party affiliations I think the permission should have been given."

"If Eisenhower was the one coming I would have been the first to urge that the band be permitted to play."

# Area Man Escapes Injury in Collision

A Pottstown area man escaped injury late last night in a collision on Route 23 which sent Fred Vonhofe, Malvern RD 1, to the Phoenixville hospital for treatment.

George Wentzel, Pottstown RD 2, was traveling west on Route 23 when his car collided with that of Vonhofe going south on Kimberton road.

Vonhofe was treated for cuts and bruises at the Phoenixville hospital dispensary. His condition was described by a hospital official as not critical. He has been admitted as a patient.

Paoli State Trooper William F. Petrie, who investigated the accident, could not immediately estimate the extent of damages to the vehicles. Both cars are believed to have been extensively damaged.

# LOCAL NOTICES

G and L party tonight at 8 p. m. Early Birds, drawings, & turkeys.

Cider and Apples now on sale at Dames Sunnyside Orchards.

Rummage sale, Thurs., Oct. 30, 2 to 3, Moose Hall, by DAR.

El Chico spec. soc. party tonight. Monthly draw. See Pages 10 & 11.

Rummage sale, today, at 30 Chestnut street, rear.

Rummage sale, Christ Episcopal church basement, Wed., Thurs. & Fri., 9-4, Salvation Army Aux.

Rummage sale today, Moose hall, from 9 a. m. on, by Ladies' Aux. of Philadelphia Steam Fire Co.

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# FIRST BAPTIST —

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ings of Christ."

Other speakers were George A. Mohr, president of the First Baptist board of deacons; S. Ernest Kulp, chairman of the board of trustees, and Borneman, who presided and introduced the other speakers.

Sunday school workers who stood up to be accorded verbal recognition included Douglas Nichols, school superintendent; Evan Haley, assistant; Newton Hausman, assistant; Robert Y. Kurtz, assistant superintendent for children; Robert Houck, superintendent of the junior department; Mildred Foley, superintendent of the intermediate department; and Mrs. Gene Hausman, superintendent of the primary department.

Also, Miss Nagle and Mrs. Bertha Ziegler, superintendent of the nursery.

HARRIET OTTINGER and Grace Missimer sang a duet. Ross C. Shinehouse, president of the Baraca men's Bible class, led the closing prayer.

Dinner was provided by the Fidelis class. Mrs. William M. Manchip made the arrangements.

Members of the board of Christian education are Borneman, Miss Nagle, Mrs. Emily Petrella, Robert Houck, Nichols, Mrs. William Shutt, Mrs. Clayton Lachman, Harry W. Wilson, Mrs. Mary Wagner and the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of First Baptist.

# PARK DIRECTORS —

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Charles L. Rohland, Charles I. Stout, Earl R. Strange, C. Edmund Wells and Harry W. Wilson.

Those with one year remaining to complete their three-year terms are J. M. Croswell, Mrs. Ruth Emory, William A. Griffith, Leonard Keffer, Sidney Pollock, Robert A. Reis and William H. Yohn.

The annual election of officers of the board will be held in mid-November. A president, vice president, secretary and treasurer will be elected at that meeting to serve for one year.

During the past year, the park association reported, the playground area has been completed, floodlights have been installed on the flag pole to illuminate the entire area, work on the second baseball diamond has been started and the buildings and benches have been painted.

Other accomplishments of the association during the past year, according to Sweeney were the re-duction of \$3500 in the mortgage, securing of \$8500 and the securing of 1150 members during the membership drive during the past year.

# Honored for Long Years of Service



Honored last night for 36 years service as a Sunday school teacher was Anna Nagle (center), superintendent of the Beginners department at First Baptist church school. Shown around her, reading clockwise from left, are the Rev. Homer Trickett, pastor of First Baptist church, Reading, principal speaker at the dinner in the First Baptist social room; Maurice Borneman, president of First Baptist's board of Christian education, who presented a corsage of red rose buds to Miss Nagle in recognition of her work; Douglas Nichols, superintendent of First Baptist church school; and Mrs. Douglas Nichols. Last night's event was the first annual dinner given by the board of Christian education to honor First Baptist teachers for their work in the church school.

# PHYSICALS —

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mean that they will be called to service.

The purpose of the examination is to determine the size of eligible dentists who fall in the category of being under 50 years of age and without military service since Sept. 16, 1940.

Also leaving at 6:30 a. m. by bus this morning for their physicals are the following:

Ulrich S. Ubert, 450 King street; Ralph R. Yoder, 243 Chestnut street; Robert L. Neiman, 460 North Charlotte street; John S. Mace, 312 Elm street; John S. Stranick, 432 King street; John E. Avery, Truckville; Frank R. Witmer, 1463 Cherry lane.

Harold W. Gehris, Niantic; Oscar F. Porter, 620 North Franklin street; Clarence O. Standhart, Bechtelsville RD 1; Stephen B. Takacs, Pottstown RD 3; Lewis A. Miller, Gilbertsville RD 1; Stanley J. Nawrocki, 1203 Cherry street; George M. Marquette Jr., 1115 S. South street; Albert J. Piazza, 218 South street.

ALSO EARL R. DECKER, Pott-

town RD 4; Joseph Hughes, Roadner, 113 North Warren street; "A." Hildale; Walter W. Price, Gerald K. Rinehart, Benjamin 822 North Washington street; Franklin highway, Stowe; Leon Joseph G. Dori, 520 Race street; Borneman, Sanatoga; John R. Stowe; Donald M. Miller, 832 South street; Leonard C. Ziegler, 1235 South street; Thomas E. Stouch, 1053 Queen street; Karl W. Gilde, Walnut street; Irv M. Francis, 110 Earlville. Also John J. Wentzel Jr., 732 West Fifth street; Cedric C. Allen, Quakertown RD 3; Harold L. Miller, Boyertown RD-1; Joseph F. McEvoy, Glasgow street, Stowe; Richard E. Evans, 79 Edgewood street; Robert J. Moyer, 514 North Franklin street; Ernest W. Haines, 627 Walnut street; Sterling J. Yocom, Beech and Henry streets.

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# STRANGE SKY —

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if it's clear, you can't look at it."

Another reason people thought the tiny sun, which they could look at yesterday without ruining their eyesight, is that the sun and moon appear to be exactly the same size. The sun is 400 times larger. The moon is 400 times closer.

We could look at yesterday's noonday sun because it was only 1 percent of its normal brightness.

FOR PEOPLE who still think the noonday sun usually looks bigger than it did yesterday, Streeter advised them to make a tiny pinhole in a filing card then look at the sun on a clear day.

The planetarium official and the weatherman agreed that a contributing cause of yesterday's weird light might easily have been smoke from forest fires raging in Ohio and Michigan.

They both recalled that even bigger forest fires in September of 1950 had caused the much-discussed "purple sky" then.

Streeter also recalled an age-old superstition that did nothing to make people feel less creepy yesterday — it's that when you look at a red moon, somebody is going to die. He

traced this one to man's instinctive linking of red to blood and blood to violence and death.

The weatherman said last night that the weird skies were ended not only by the clearing skies that arrived late yesterday afternoon, but also by the rain that began at 12:15 p. m. and continued intermittently throughout the afternoon. There were a few small snowflakes mixed in with the rain.

Temperatures probably will be below freezing in Pottstown before morning, the weatherman predicted. The temperature's tobogganing began yesterday — from 58 degrees at midnight, to 50 at noon to 40 by 3 p. m.

The colder weather will be with us for several days, the weatherman forecasted. It'll be fair today, though.

LINER DELAYED  
LONDON, Oct. 28 (AP) — Gale prevented the liner Queen Mary from being moved into drydock at Southampton for her annual overhaul today and sent merchant ships scurrying for harbor shelter throughout the British isles.

Potash contained in the lava of the volcano Vesuvius makes the surrounding countryside a rich agricultural region.

**24 PICNICKERS DROWN**  
RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Oct. 28 (AP) — A Meridional News agency dispatch from Aracaju, the Sergipe state capital, reported today 28 children from three schools drowned in the sinking of a picnic party boat in the Rio do Sal.

Archeologists estimate that the date at which Joshua destroyed Jericho was about 1200 B. C., says the National Geographic Society.

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| Reeds Butterscotch             | 29c |
| Individually Wrapped, 7-Ounces |     |
| Jordan Almonds                 | 59c |
| Sugar Coated — Pound           |     |
| Mint Starlight Kisses          | 25c |
| 10-Ounce Package               |     |
| Peter Paul Cocomettos          | 19c |
| 7-Ounces, Wrapped Individually |     |



# Light Heavyweight Title Bout Planned In December Between Maxim, Moore

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—The off-again, on-again light heavyweight title bout between champion Joey Maxim and Archie Moore may wind up in St. Louis, Dec. 3 or Dec. 17.

Cleveland and Detroit also are champ Jimmy Carter, suffered a startling setback at the hands of Orlando Zulueta last night at regular Wednesday night television schedule.

Harry Markson, boxing director of the International Boxing club, said today a decision will be reached "within 24 hours." A conference has been scheduled among the managers of the two fighters and IBC representatives.

Plans for holding the bout in Las Vegas, Dec. 3 collapsed last week. Maxim defended his championship against Sugar Ray Robinson at Yankee Stadium June 25. Moore, the No. 1 challenger for years, never got a chance at the big prize.

While light heavyweights occupied the attention of the IBC brass, developments in other divisions served to perk up boxing interest.

Paddy DeMarco, the Brooklyn bullyboy who was being groomed for a title shot at lightweight

# Wheelchair Hunter—Handicap No Bar to Him



Although he has been unable to walk for eight years, Leonard Zimmer, 44-year-old paraplegic victim of Sacred Heart, Minn., goes hunting like the rest of us—but shooting his game from a wheelchair. When the duck hunting season opened recently, Zimmers bagged four mallards in two hours.

# Schoolboy Mates Will Be Opponents In Saturday Tilt

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28 (AP)—Two former Reading High school teammates, and two former Steelton High school gridders will find themselves on opposite sides in the clash between Penn State and the University of Pennsylvania Saturday.

Bob Szajna, State quarterback with a healthy pass completion record of .538, and Stew Haggerty, Penn's holdover varsity guard, played together at Reading.

Don Malinak, the Nittany Lions' best pass receiver last year, and Joe Keller, a reserve tackle for the Quakers of Penn, find themselves in the same situation.

"I played next to Malinak in the line at Steelton," said Keller. "He was the end and I was the short-side guard. He was great."

# Heinrich, Price Lead Country's College Passers

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—When Columbia Coach Lou Little declared recently that if anything happened to quarterback Mitch Price, "he and I will go to the hospital together," he was probably talking for Washington Coach Howie O'Dell too.

Official statistics released today by the NCAA service bureau show Don Heinrich, Washington's T-formation passer, and Price running one-two in total offense among the nation's major colleges.

Heinrich, with 1178 yards gained in six games, has accounted for all but six of them through the air, and he is also the national leader in passing, with 87 completions, Price, who has played five games, has accounted for 1095 yards, 891 of them on aerials.

Heinrich, Price and most of the other leaders in total offense and passing get nothing exceptional in the way of support from teammates or all-America selectors, but in rushing, where Villanova's Gene Filipki is the top man with 637 yards in six games, it's a different story. Of the eleven biggest gainers, four are from unbeaten teams and three are from once-beaten squads.

Villanova has won all its games. Two Border Conference Sophomores, Rod Williams of Hardin-Simmons and Don Beasley of Arizona, are closing in Filipki with 602 and 595 yards respectively.

# General Eisenhower Rehashes Athletic Days at West Point

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower took time off from the political campaign tonight for an old fashioned sports-fighting bee.

Smiling, bronzed and relaxed, the general exchanged pleasantries with a small group of athletes and newspapermen at his hotel headquarters.

He talked of his football days at West Point, recalling that almost the last game he played was against the Carlisle Indians, who had the great Jim Thorpe in the backfield.

"It's a source of great satisfaction to me that the score was 7-6 when I went out in the third period," Benedict, Devore and I were taken out to rest up for the fourth quarter. But we never did get back in. The final score was 27-6—in favor of Carlisle.

"I tackled Thorpe," said the general with pride.

# Wee Tad Weed - Weight, 128 - Boots Ohio State Conversions

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 28 — Followers of rival teams at Ohio State football games this season can't help but accuse the Bucks of overdoing the standard practice of listing their players about 12 or 15 pounds under actual weight.

The reason is Thurlow (Tad) Weed, Ohio State's left-footed place-kicker who weighs a mere 128 pounds — the smallest player in the rugged Western Conference.

A single look at Weed convinces the dubious rooters of the Bucks' opponents that the little fellow certainly tips the beam at no more than his listed avoirdupois.

One reason Tad may look even smaller than he actually is may be traced to the fact that he is generally surrounded by behemoths. Also, the only extra raiment he wears for games consists of only shoulder pads. No need for hip pads or taped ankles or anything like that for Tad.

# 'Boy' Booter



Tad Weed . . . pint-sized point-maker

EARLY THIS FALL, Tad kicked 610 "extra points" in practice without a miss and, believe it or not, he was glad when he finally "blew" one.

As the Ohio State Sophomore laughingly explains:

"Yeah, when I finally messed one up, it took the pressure off."

Weed, who obviously didn't grow like a weed, will tell you:

"I normally try about 200 placements each evening but I slowed down a trifle recently because just like the arm of a baseball pitcher your leg can go stale on you, too."

Columbus, encouraged the Buck midget to specialize in place-kicking when it became evident that his size was not going to match his fervent love for football.

Tad laughs:

"It may sound funny but exactly two days after my senior high school season I stumbled onto the real secret of accuracy in place-kicking. It's sort of an instinct and a leg-follow-through that I can't describe. The very day that I discovered it, I booted 100 in a row."

TAD'S MOST rabid fan, his mother, voices a complaint about all of the publicity that has been given her 19-year-old son and his place-kicking artistry.

Mrs. Weed, with understandable modesty, claims there are other members of the Ohio State squad more deserving of the glowing

# Barons Down Bears

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 28 (AP)—Rallying for three goals in the last period, Cleveland's Barons defeated the Hershey Bears, 4-2, in an American Hockey League game tonight.

The Bears led twice and had a 2-1 margin when Hildebrand scored for Cleveland at 4:11 of the last period to square it at 2-2. Then in the last nine minutes, Jack Gordon and Bob Bailey both scored for the Barons.

# Quite a Difference

Trinity College defeated City College of New York 94-0 back in 1907. But from 1877 to 1887 the Bantams didn't win one football game.

# 3 Bowl Appearances

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# Terrapins Close In Spartans Keep No. 1 Rating

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Michigan State still leads but Maryland is a fast closing second in the battle for No. 1 football rating in the nation.

The 121 ballots of sportswriters and broadcasters in the Associated Press poll were well split between Coach Biggie Munn's Michigan State powerhouse and the brilliant Maryland team that has racked up six straight wins.

Michigan State clung to the No. 1 spot for the third successive week by knocking off previously unbeaten Penn State, 34-7, Saturday for its fifth straight. That performance won 38 first place votes for the Spartans.

Maryland drew 32 firsts after bombing Louisiana State, 34-6.

The point race, based on 10 for a first place vote, nine for second and so on, is real tight with only 26 points separating the first two clubs. Michigan State has 1042 points, Maryland 1016.

Oklahoma, tied once but unbeaten in five starts, remains in third place with 20 firsts and \$50 points after routing Kansas State, 49-6.

Georgia Tech, Southern California, Duke and UCLA follow closely bunched the first three. Then come three graduates from the lower ratings—Purdue, eighth; Kansas, ninth; and Villanova, tenth.

Purdue hopped from an unranked position all the way to eighth by smothering Illinois, 40-12. Now they get a chance at the giant killer role Saturday in their game with Michigan State.

Georgia Tech, 30-0 winner over Vanderbilt, meets Duke, 21-7 conquerors of previously unbeaten Virginia, in a top clash of rated teams. It will be No. 4 vs No. 6 at Durham, N. C.

# Maryland Accuses Boston University Of Using Harry Agganis as Scout

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Oct. 28 (AP)—Some more fuel was thrown on the Maryland-Boston University football fire today when Coach Jim Tatum got a report that Harry Agganis, star of the Beantowners, scouted the Terrapins last Saturday.

Agganis didn't travel with the Boston squad to the Lehigh game last Saturday. It was reported he stayed in the infirmary with a cold. He'll be ready for Maryland Saturday.

Coach Tatum got a long distance telephone call today.

"Get Joe Blair (the Maryland publicity man) in here," he yelled while still listening.

"Can you imagine that," he said after hanging up. "I was just told that nobody was allowed into the infirmary to see Agganis Saturday or Sunday. And that an air lines said he had a plane reservation down here Saturday. He probably scouted us."

"I thought something was fishy when it was announced he didn't go to the Lehigh game. Whoever heard of leaving a player behind with just a cold. Especially if he was going to be out practicing again on Monday, as Agganis did yesterday."

# Baker Wins Decision But Injures Hand

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Big Bob Baker, a Pittsburgh heavyweight who has been sidelined nearly a year because of injuries to his right hand, lumbered his way to a unanimous ten-round decision over Billy Gilliam of Orange, N. J., tonight—and in so doing re-injured the hand.

Baker, weighing 229 pounds and boasting a 19-pound advantage, won the decision in a hard-fought but slow battle. A crowd of 1908 paid a gross of \$4750 and a net of \$3688.

The Pittsburgh heavyweight had all he could handle in Gilliam and had to come from behind in the final five rounds. There wasn't a semblance of a knockdown. Gilliam was troubled from the second round on by a bleeding nose and Baker suffered a cut on top of his left eyelid in the fourth.

Baker appeared to be favoring his right hand most of the fight and after the seventh round hardly used it at all. The extent of the damage will not be known until X-rays are taken tomorrow.

Don Alderson 144, Canonsburg, emphasized to Tatum his belief that Pa. knocked out Johnny Valdez, Coach Donelli has been bringing his 144, of Cincinnati, in 53 seconds of the second round of a scheduled six-round semi-final.

Tatum asked Blair to describe the two Boston U. scouts admitted to the press box at Maryland's game with LSU. Neither description would fit Agganis.

"They probably bought a ticket and let him sit in the stands," suggested an assistant coach.

"You're probably right," agreed Tatum. "I know Buff Donelli (Boston coach) would do anything to beat us. And I suspected he was saving Agganis for us, figuring they could beat Lehigh without him."

THE BOSTONIANS did, 29-20. The Agganis report served to emphasize to Tatum his belief that Pa. knocked out Johnny Valdez, Coach Donelli has been bringing his 144, of Cincinnati, in 53 seconds of the second round of a scheduled six-round semi-final.

"You know how much he'd like to beat us," he said, referring to the only other time the two teams met in 1949. Maryland beat Boston U. 14-13, and Coach Donelli claimed bad officiating cost his high school football because he team the game. The two coaches weighed only 118 pounds. Now, exchanged hot words over it with after a hitch in the Navy, the Tatum vowing he'd never schedule Mountaineer sophomore scales 205, Boston U. again.

# Growing Boy

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# Two Eisenhower Groups Report Spending \$739,268 in 2 Months

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—Two of Gen. Eisenhower's campaign organizations reported today they had collected a total of \$998,967 and spent \$739,268.

The citizens for Eisenhower-Nixon reported contributions of \$886,747 in the seven weeks' period between Sept. 9 and Oct. 22. Campaign expenditures in this period totalled \$675,019.

The National Professional Committee for Eisenhower and Nixon, formed on Sept. 22, received \$112,220 in the next month, it reported to the clerk of the House. Expenditures for that period were \$84,249.

Only one comparable Democratic organization, the National Volunteers for Stevenson, has so far filed the required report of receipts and expenditures with the House clerk.

This group listed \$8000 in collections for the period between Aug. 11 and Aug. 31 — and \$5000 of this was contributed by Adlai E. Stevenson, the Democratic nominee, on Aug. 22. The organization said its disbursements totalled \$3371 for this period.

THESE FIGURES ARE in addition to the expenditures and receipts of such other party groups as the national committees.

The CIO's political action committee (PAC), actively supporting the Stevenson-Sparkman ticket, reported receipts of \$274,680 and expenditures of \$221,262 for the period between Sept. 1 and Oct. 17.

The PAC said its total receipts since Jan. 1 were \$500,066 and its expenditures were \$333,620, mostly for Congressional races.

The labor organization listed among its expenses a total of \$19,500 for the campaigns of 10 Democratic Senatorial candidates. The largest contribution was \$4000 to the headquarters of Rep. Mansfield (D-Mont) who is seeking the seat of Sen. Ecton (R-Mont). It also listed \$2000 for the headquarters of Thomas E. Fairchild, who is running against Senator McCarthy (R-Wis).

Labor's League for political education, an AFL organization, said it had received \$216,693 between Jan. 1 and Oct. 24. In the same period it spent \$203,561.

THE LEAGUE said it contributed \$500 to the Stevenson-Sparkman campaign, which the AFL has endorsed. Most of its other expenses were for Senate and House races.

The Democratic Congressional campaign committee reported receiving \$17,175 for part of September and October. This included \$15,000 as "reimbursement for services rendered" to the Democratic National committee. The Congressional group spent \$752 in the same period.

The Republican Congressional committee reported yesterday it received \$512,587 for the period Sept. 1 through Oct. 22. It listed expenditures of \$528,827 but said earlier collections gave it a \$39,228 balance on Oct. 23.

# Insurance Company Representative Hails Safety Programs

The safety and driver-training programs in Pennsylvania's schools were praised last night by Harold Glenney, a representative of an automobile insurance corporation.

Glenney was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Men's Service League of Baltzell Evangelical United Brethren church.

The insurance representative said the programs are responsible for lessening the accident frequency among young people, with the ultimate effect of lowering insurance rates to everyone.

"The rates paid by persons under 25 years of age are almost double those of older insured motorists," Glenney stated. "This is due to the higher proportion of accidents which occur in the younger group of drivers."

BY PUTTING a greater burden on the persons responsible for the most accidents it lowers the cost for insurance to the safer drivers, according to Glenney.

He said those motorists who the company knows are extremely poor risks are insured by a pool of insurance companies. The poor risks are accepted by one company for a short period and then each company of the pool takes its turn in covering the policies.

"In this manner each company shares the responsibility for the poor insurance risk and also shares the losses they create," Glenney declared.

The guest speaker reported it is a small minority of motorists who frequently have accidents that keeps insurance rates higher than they would normally be.

The league decided to sell religious calendars to the congregation and to friends. William Riley, treasurer and chairman of the committee which will distribute the calendars, said there will be a verse for each day of the year printed on the calendar.

Plans to begin a building fund were discussed but no definite action was taken.

# Vote Overwhelming In Airline Separation

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 28 (AP)—Stockholders at a regular meeting today approved separation of All American Airways into two separate companies: Allegheny Airlines, incorporation, and All American Engineering and Research corporation.

The vote to affect the change was overwhelming. The vote was 299,404 shares against 19,313 for re-naming the airline, and 310,740 to 2687 for separating the research and engineering activities.

Before the plan can be put into effect it must get the approval of the Civil Aeronautics board.

All American presently serves Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, the District of Columbia, West Virginia and Ohio.

# Vice President



Robert P. Liversidge, above, has been elected vice president in charge of operations for Philadelphia Electric company. It was announced yesterday. A native of Philadelphia, he served at one time as superintendent of the Barbados electric generating station at Norristown.

# More Steel Assured Automobile Industry

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—The auto industry was notified today that civilian good manufacturers will get an additional 1,480,000 tons of steel to boost their scant allotments in first-quarter 1953.

The motor industry, which had forecast shutdowns in February unless more steel was granted, was assured by the National Production authority of an "equitable" share of the new metal.

More steel may be forthcoming later. NPA administrator R. A. McDonald told the passenger car industry committee. He promised forthrightly checks on prospective steel supplies.

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# Agreement Expected Bing Crosby's Wife Soon in Hard Coal In Critical Condition

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Oct. 28 (AP)—Dixie Crosby, the wife of crooner Bing Crosby, was in a critical condition today and has slipped into a coma.

Larry Crosby, Bing's brother, said her condition is so serious that members of her family have been summoned here.

Mrs. Crosby, a former actress, underwent a serious abdominal operation three months ago. Larry said "she has been ill for several years."

Mrs. Crosby left her bed the past Saturday to go to the train to meet her husband upon his return from an Eastern trip.

Her doctor advised her against leaving her home, Larry said. The following day she suffered a relapse.

The recess was not due to disagreement, but was political in nature. One of the union representatives, Thomas Kennedy of Hazleton, vice president of the United Mine Workers union, said he wanted to join Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic Presidential candidate, on a whistle-stop tour in the Pennsylvania hard coal fields.

Kennedy is scheduled to introduce the Illinois governor to crowds at Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and Hazleton.

UMW Chieftain John L. Lewis and Kennedy are representing the union while mine owners are headed by Edward G. Cox, president of the Philadelphia-Reading Fuel company; L. R. Close, president of the Lehigh Valley Coal company; Evan Evans, president of the Lehigh Navigation Coal company; and C. A. Gardner, vice president of the Jeddo-Highland Coal company.

SOURCES CLOSE to both sides said agreement had been reached on nearly all main points. But there was no indication what the settlement might be. The big problem is a wage increase.

Aiding Lewis and Kennedy on the union side of the bargaining table are Joseph Kershetsky Shalom, president of the union's District No. 9, and August Lippel, Scranton, president of District No. 1.

Although North Carolina has a Practically all of the nation's 65,000 anthracite diggers work in Eastern Pennsylvania.

# Turkey Supper Served To Brotherhood Members

Thirty-two members of the Zion Reformed church Brotherhood met in the chapel last night for a turkey supper served by the organization's canteen committee.

Speaker for the evening was Dr. Harry Brennecke, Pottstown dentist, who spoke and showed slides of Alaska. The material for his topic was gathered during his 22 month Army stay there.

The evening was concluded with a short business session at which Harry Bernhardt, president, spoke about the "Bring a Buddy Night" meeting scheduled for November 25.

Although North Carolina has a million acres of improved pasture, she needs twice that much farm experts say.

# NEARLY UNANIMOUS LONDON, Oct. 28 (AP)—Almost everybody voted in Communist Poland's national elections Sunday and virtually all voted for the Communist-controlled national front candidates, Warsaw radio said tonight.

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# Western Combine Buys Ship Line, Ending Lengthy Ownership Dispute

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—A financial combine headed by Ralph K. Davies, San Francisco oil man, today bought for \$18,360,000, the controlling interest in American President Lines, globe-grinding steamship firm long in the hands of the Government.

The sale of the company, which operates 27 ships, ended a court battle between the R. Stanley Dollar interests and the government. The fight reached into the Supreme Court and the past year saw Secretary of Commerce Sawyer cited for contempt.

Background of the fight was this: The American President Lines is a successor to the Dollar lines, which began at the turn of the century as a fleet of windjammers plying Pacific and Orient waters.

In the 1930's the concern needed money. The government granted it loans, and received 92 percent of its voting stock. The AP lines were paid off out of earnings while the company was in government control. The Dollars demanded the stock back, saying it had been merely pledged as collateral. The government refused, saying it owned the stock.

AT ONE TIME Secretary Sawyer, holder of the stock, was cited for contempt for refusing to turn it over. But the legal fight ended in agreement to sell the stock and split the proceeds evenly between the Dollars and the government.

Today's sale was by sealed bid. R. Stanley Dollar made a token bid of \$14,000,000, the minimum allowed. There was one other bidder.

The winner was a 19-year-old financial combine headed by 'Davies, who served the government during World War II as head of the Petroleum Administration for War.

Davies praised the present "uncommonly fine, progressive" management of American President Lines under George Killian and said he hoped Killian would stay on as president. Killian, former Democratic Party big-wig, was appointed president of the company while the government ran it.

The successful bidders called their group APL associates. Davies, said about 15 of his business friends entered the combine with him. He said he put in his minority interest in the American President Lines.

THE GOVERNMENT held 77 1/2 percent of the company's voting stock.

The biggest financial block in the APL associates is Signal Oil and Gas company, with headquarters at Los Angeles and oil interests in Texas, California, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

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Another "young gal" to join the parade of Pottstown area grandmothers is Mrs. Emmanuel Hoffman, 36, (left), of Bechtelsville RD 1, who is seen holding 18-month-old grandson John Erb, son of Mrs. Hoffman's daughter, Mrs. Leroy Erb, (right), also of Bechtelsville RD 1. Mrs. Hoffman, who became a grandmother at 34, says she sees little Johnny every day and enjoys every opportunity to baby-sit when her daughter and son-in-law go out.

Mower Nominated for Presidency of Pottstown Kiwanis

William D. Mower, Pottstown Junior High school principal, was nominated for the presidency of the Pottstown Kiwanis club at the meeting last night.

Others nominated for officers are Charles Fegely and Raymond W. Waver, first vice president; Waver,

erly Kiehl, William Hubertus and Arthur S. Weitzenkorn, second vice president; W. O. Cressman, secretary; and E. L. Pickard and Paul I. Mogel, treasurer.

Directors nominated included John Fraser, Gebhart Zollers, Charles Fegely, C. Roy Bush, Raymond Bower, Philip Stevens and Donald Davis.

The annual election will be held at the next meeting.

LAST NIGHT was also past president's night. The three living past presidents—William Shaner, Eli Wismer and Irvin Maloney—were presented with gifts.

C. Raymond Eppehimer addressed the club on the progress the Kiwanis has made since it was first incorporated in 1923. It not only built up its own organization, but also sponsored two new clubs in Phoenixville and West Chester, he stated.

Other accomplishments of the Kiwanis, according to Eppehimer, included the raising of the money

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Services for Timothy Waller, 6 months-old son of Jerry and Benzie Waller, North Fifth average and Borough line,

Royersford, who was killed in the crash, will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, Royersford.

Interment will be made in Zion's cemetery near Spring City. Surviving besides his parents are two sisters, Hazel and Verna, and a brother, Thomas, all at home.

Public elementary and high schools cost about six billion dollars in 1951 and private schools about one billion dollars.

Pottstown Guard Unit Gets Three Enlistees

Three new enlistments in the Pottstown National Guard unit brings its total strength to 60 men, it was announced last night by Lt. Harold C. Baumann, commanding officer of the group.

The commanding officer of Company A, 11th Infantry Combat Team, reported 16 enlistments have been received by the national

guard unit since the past Summer. Those who became members of the unit last night were Raymond E. Ingham, 60 Chestnut street; Carl E. Hilborn, Pottstown RD 1; and James Edgar Murphy, 233 Bridge street Spring City.

Instructors in drills last night were Sgt. Clarence Wensel, rifle bivoque tactics; Sgt. Melvin Miller and Sgt. Gerald Landis, mortar bivoque tactics; Sgt. Forrest R. Drumheller, mess

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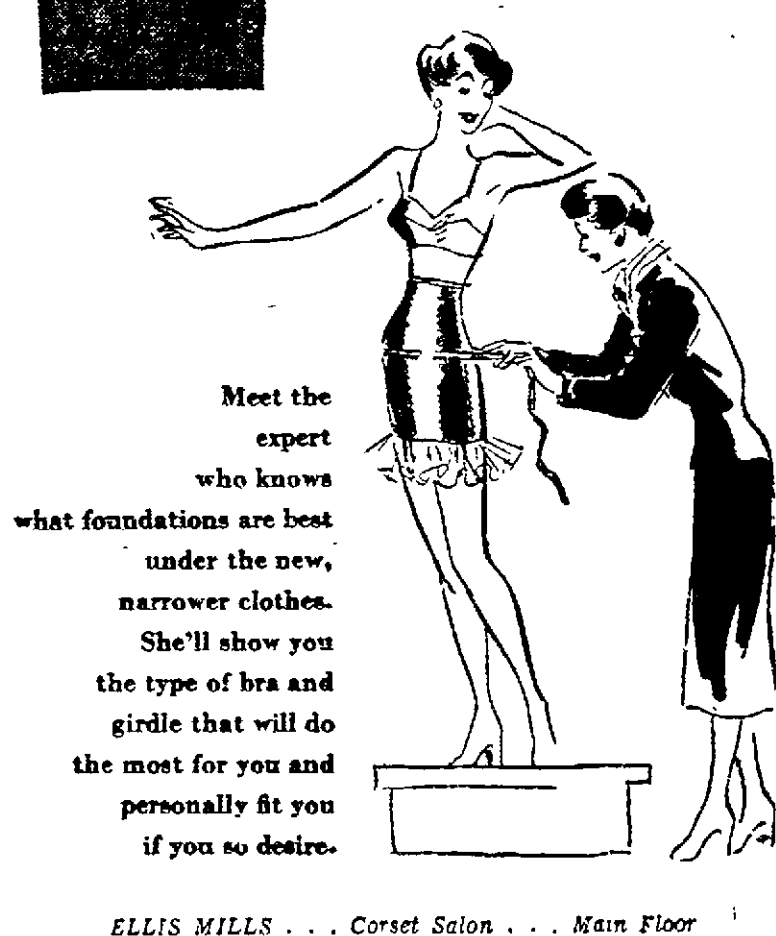
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*The thorns which I have reaped are  
of the tree I planted; they have torn  
me, and I bleed. I should have known  
what fruit would spring from such a  
seed.—Lord Byron.*

#### Fill Those Shell Holes!

GOVERNOR Gifford Pinchot was credited  
with getting the farmer out of the mud.  
He was said to have built more "hard top"  
roads in the rural sections than any of his  
predecessors in Harrisburg.

That may be.  
But it'll take EVERY CITIZEN to get  
Pottstown out of the potholes. It'll  
take EVERY CITIZEN'S VOTE to elimi-  
nate the washboard avenues that Pott-  
stown calls streets.

Votes will be needed to pass the \$750,000  
street improvement referendum to be sub-  
mitted to the electorate at the general elec-  
tion Nov. 4. Passage of the referendum will  
provide funds to assure Pottstown of more  
and better streets.

There's a crying need for improved  
streets here. Every citizen should be in  
favor of progress. Every citizen should  
favor the referendum, because every citizen  
will benefit.

Pottstown borough has set up a program  
calling for paving slightly more than 13  
miles of streets. That's an ambitious pro-  
gram, because Pottstown has only 53 miles  
of paved street in its total of 72.

But so many of Pottstown's "older"  
streets, paved years ago with brick, and  
since given many coatings of macadam, need  
rebuilding that the 13 miles will be eaten up  
quickly. Many of these "older" streets are  
in the center of town, where motorists have  
been having the most trouble!

Of course, some new streets are to be  
paved. Residents who have pioneered Pott-  
stown's growth into the North and West and  
East—these paved streets, too.

The cost of paving will not come entirely  
out of the proposed \$750,000 bond issue. Two-  
thirds of street paving will be paid by abut-  
ting property owners, one-third on each side  
of the street, and the remaining one-third by  
the borough. Payments received will be used  
to liquidate the bond loan.

Rules set up for this paving make it easy  
for the property owner to pay his share of  
the work. Adjoining property owners will  
have the privilege of paying their one-third  
assessed share by installments over a 10-  
year period.

Actually, passage of this referendum  
will save money for Pottstown. Annu-  
ally, \$25,000 has been spent "fixing"  
Pottstown streets. None of this \$25,000  
has gone into new streets. Now, under the  
bond issue plan, only \$20,000 a year  
will be needed to liquidate the bor-  
ough's share. And Pottstown will be get-  
ting NEW streets not needing this  
\$25,000 a year for repairs.

Pottstown has been throwing an extra-  
ordinary amount of money every year into  
the sewers. Patching and repatching has  
been exorbitant. It was like patching an old  
roof on a house. You never get finished  
patching. Better to build a new roof!

That's how it is with streets. Pottstown  
needs new streets—better streets. Citizens  
can assure Pottstown of these streets by vot-  
ing for the bond issue.

#### The Need is Great

ONCE every year Pottstonians are asked to  
open their hearts and their purses in  
behalf of the United Fund. That time is now  
at hand. The United Fund is asking Pott-  
stown for \$138,000 to help lighten the burdens  
of the more unfortunate among us.

This is a record sum. Yet it is no more  
than a measure of the need. The United  
Fund's work has grown as the community  
has grown. It serves hundreds of men and  
women and children—our neighbors—who  
are depending on us for a helping hand.

The Fund got off to a fine start when  
a quarter of the total, a matter of  
\$51,000, was pledged on opening night.  
That was the sum given by "big givers." So  
the rank and file of the population  
will be asked to give their contributions.  
Everyone needs to be generous.

Though the goal is greater than ever be-  
fore, it is still well within our means.  
Whether we contribute a day's pay or some-  
thing less, we can make no finer contribu-  
tion to the well-being of the community as a  
whole. For a community includes not only  
the prosperous and the happy, but the un-  
derprivileged and the unfortunate as well.

## Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,  
Editor, The Mercury, October 28.  
Dear Sir 'n' Mory:

Wai, I see by the papers where the Demo-  
crats must feel they're getting a raw deal  
on the Korean war, what  
with blame coming from  
Republicans to the right  
of them and Communists  
to the left of them.

When truce talks got  
under way in Korea a long  
time ago it appeared to  
be all over but the shout-  
ing. Now it's all over but  
the shouting.

And say: There was a  
slight decline in living  
costs in the month ending Sept. 15. After  
listening to the campaign speeches, the  
public is led up!

Hopin' you air the same,  
GRAMPAN NED OAKLEY

#### READERS SAY:

## Re-Division of Pottstown's Wards Asked

#### Wards Are Lopsided

To the Editor: Reading about the  
need for more election clerks in the  
Eighth ward because of the huge growth  
in population makes me think again of  
a problem that has bothered me for  
years.

Wouldn't it be possible to have Pott-  
stown's ten wards divided more realisti-  
cally?

The way things are now, a little ward  
like the Third or Fourth, with only 300  
or 400 voters, is entitled to two coun-  
cilmembers, just like the big Seventh, Eighth,  
Ninth and Tenth, which have hundreds  
of voters and more coming in every  
year.

I know it would be much fairer to all  
the citizens in Pottstown if the wards  
were divided more equally on the basis  
of population.

—East End FAIR-MINDED

#### Bad Lesson for Kids

To the Editor: As a motorist, I sup-  
pose I should consider all women and  
children fair prey, especially when they

make a point of darting out in front of  
my car when the light is against them.

This afternoon, driving on High  
street, I suddenly found myself bear-  
ing down on a posse of several mothers  
and their children as I neared the Keim  
street intersection.

They stood smack in the middle of  
the highway, the light against them,  
cars shooting past on both sides, and the  
children pulling this way and that, as if  
they were determined to break away  
and be run over.

Now you can't blame these children,  
because obviously they know no better.  
You can't exactly blame the motorist,  
either, because he is following all the  
rules.

What I can't condone are these  
mothers who go out of their way, it  
seems to me, to endanger the lives of  
their children. I'm sure these youngsters  
are taught habits of safety in their  
schools, but what good is that if their  
parents show complete disregard, if not  
contempt, for these habits when taking  
the children to and from school?

Gilbertsville WORRIED

#### 'Follow Through'

To the Editor: It's good news that  
something is finally going to be done  
about the low water pressure that ex-  
ists in the North End every Summer.

Although I don't live in that section of  
the borough, I can readily sympathize  
with North End residents who receive  
an inadequate supply of water during  
the hot months when it is needed most.

One person particularly impressed  
me with the gravity of the situation when  
he expressed the fear of fires in that  
section which could easily spread be-  
cause of inadequate water pressure with  
which to fight it.

Although this has not happened yet,  
let's make sure a catastrophe like that  
does not occur.

North Enders, however will not be  
the only ones to benefit by council's de-  
cision to correct the situation. I like  
many of my neighbors, am getting tired  
of seeing the grass on my lawn and the  
flowers in my garden shrivel up from  
the heat because of the sprinkling bans.  
This time let's not just go through the  
motions, council, let's follow through  
with the idea.

Pottstown CIVIC MINDED

#### WASHINGTON

## State Department Boosts Stevenson in Europe

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Indirect but  
effective political pressure by the State  
Department is largely responsible for  
the fact that so many European govern-  
ments and peoples prefer the election of  
Governor Stevenson instead of General  
Eisenhower. In view of Ike's role in  
liberating Europe and building a post-  
war defense organization, this is one of  
the curious developments of the cam-  
paign.

Secretary Acheson has notified Euro-  
pean capitals that he cannot guarantee  
continued financial aid after June 30,  
1953. In a certain sense, this is only a  
routine notice that the outgoing Truman  
Administration can give no assurance  
that the next Congress will appropriate  
funds for military and economic assist-  
ance to our allies.

But the odd fact is that State has  
never before issued such a warn-  
ing. It is also strange that the  
notice should be given on the eve of  
the election, and almost four months  
before the next Congress convenes.  
Furthermore, General Eisenhower  
has indicated that he favors the  
overseas program, although he may  
trim it for budgetary reasons, if  
elected.

In addition to issuing this warning,  
Acheson is slowing down on almost every  
other form of overseas activities until  
after the election. Although several  
hundred men and women have been  
trained and cleared for foreign service  
in diplomatic, Point Four and other  
fields, and are already on the Federal  
payroll, their departure has been post-  
poned until after November 4.

FOREIGN INFLUENCE: Acheson's  
action may seem to have no political  
significance, in view of the fact that  
Europeans cannot vote in our elections.  
But foreign interests and propagandists  
do have considerable influence in cer-  
tain political, financial and industrial  
circles, which profit from orders based  
on American loans and grants.

Finally, and contrary to General  
Eisenhower's campaign pledges, it  
creates the impression that he will  
pursue an isolationist policy, if he  
reaches the White House.

Although Governor Stevenson and  
the Democratic platform praise and de-  
fend the Yalta and Potsdam agree-  
ments, while the GOP condemns them  
as tragic blunders and a sellout to Rus-  
sia, the generally unrecognized fact is  
that both pacts have been repudiated by  
President Truman, Secretary Acheson  
and the American Congress. It amounts  
to an admission of diplomatic failure.

THE ORIGINAL Truman-Acheson-  
Stevenson version was that these secret  
arrangements, which were never sub-  
mitted to the Senate for approval, would  
have operated satisfactorily, if Stalin  
had not doublecrossed his World War II  
allies, especially the United States.

They scoffed at the contention that,  
by these agreements, we had betrayed  
China and other nations, especially Pol-  
and, which now lie behind the iron cur-  
tain.

The Democrats cannot publicly  
denounce these documents without  
pleading guilty to opposition charges  
that, after winning the war, they lost  
the peace. The Yalta pact was ne-  
gotiated by F. D. R., and it was con-  
firmed at Potsdam by Truman.

As evidence of the Administration's  
outright but unpublicized repudiation of  
the Yalta-Potsdam deals, there is the  
recent note to Moscow concerning the  
future of German and the Japanese  
peace treaty. Both the note and the  
treaty are Truman-Acheson products.

The Japanese treaty provides speci-  
fically that the United States does not  
recognize Russian rights in the Sak-  
halin, Kuriles and other islands in that  
area, or Soviet holdings in Manchuria.  
All of these concessions were granted  
to Moscow by F. D. R. at Yalta, and un-  
derwritten by Truman at Potsdam.

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## FLOWERS FOR LIVING

For  
MR. AND MRS.  
ALBERT LEBLANC  
427 West street

Pottstown  
BECAUSE they are  
celebrating their 13th  
wedding anniversary  
today.

## The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

#### Let's Play Postoffice

Letter From A Political Expert

DEAR MISS KILGALLEN:

Regarding your article about politi-  
cians' wives trailing along during the  
campaign, I am reminded of a song  
written during the

Woodrow Wilson ad-  
ministration:  
"Everywhere that  
Wilson goes Mrs.  
Wilson goes along  
You never even  
take me to the Zoo.  
But from now  
Mr. Smarty,  
I'm in on every  
party."

And I'm going  
out with you."  
Maybe the wives  
wanna go.

Sincerely yours,  
Ray Monahan  
Carbondale, Pa.

Dear Mr. Monahan: You may have  
something there. But I did read a news-  
paper story in which Mamie Eisen-  
hower said she'd give absolutely any-  
thing for a couple of hours in a de-  
partment store where she could buy  
a few cheap little dresses to "save"

her good clothes, which were being  
wrecked by all the train travel—and the  
implication seemed to be that she  
couldn't even leave the campaign car-  
avan for an afternoon and pick it up at  
another stop, or something dire would  
happen that might affect the course of  
the election, not to mention history.

AND IN the pathetic saga of Mrs.  
Richard Nixon, where she told about  
almost falling asleep with her baby  
in her arms, it was clear that if she  
could have avoided the political  
meetings and stayed home with her  
new-born infant she would have pre-  
ferred it.

Obviously, any wife would want  
to be at her husband's side in a mo-  
ment of great triumph—his nomina-  
tion, election night, Inauguration Day

## The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

LORING P., 28, has been married for  
six years.

"But, Dr. Crane, he says he doesn't  
feel as thrilled by my kisses now as dur-  
ing our honeymoon," his wife wept in  
my office.

"I love him with all my heart and  
tell him that I'm sure he loves me,  
but he says he kissed a girl at the fac-  
tory last week and she excites him more  
than I do.

"Should I give him a divorce? I'm all  
confused and don't know what to do."

Dentists often state that their big  
trouble with patients who get false teeth  
is the fact that the patients expect too  
much from the new dentures.

They think the latter will be exactly  
as comfortable and efficient as their  
natural teeth, so they complain because  
their gums get sore or they cannot eat  
roasting ears and crack hickory nuts  
with those teeth.

MARITAL HAPPINESS is somewhat  
similar in that a young couple should  
know in advance the pitfalls that will  
beset them, and thus learn how to cir-  
cumvent these hazards.

In the first place, many of the thrills  
of courtship and the honeymoon are  
simply "novelty reactions" or "stage  
fright" intermingled with erotic thrills.

But stage fright does not endure if  
you go through the same situation  
scores of times. Real love and erotic  
pleasures can last into a ripe old age,  
but not that original novelty reaction.

Every time you kiss a strange man  
or woman of reasonable attractiveness,  
you will get the stage fright reaction.  
Your pulse will pound and you will feel  
both breathless and exhilarated.

BUT DON'T become a fool and pur-  
sue such a will-o'-the-wisp to the extent  
of wrecking an otherwise happy mar-  
riage.

Husband and wife tend to feel some-  
what like an affectionate brother and  
sister after they have been married  
a few years.

They are still very fond of each  
other, and more happy together than  
apart, but they don't obtain that old  
breathlessness and stage fright reac-  
tion, at least very often.

To prevent such complacency they  
should deliberately encourage a partial  
return of their former ecstatic mood by  
going to a romantic movie or a dance  
at least once per week.

—or even more, in a moment of  
distress.

But does that make it necessary  
for her to go to every political meet-  
ing from the ward level up?

That's my question, and so far no-  
body's answered it. . . . D.K.  
Letter from a juke box fan  
My Dear Dorothy:

I was hoping you would come  
through with a deserved criticism on  
the current popular ballad called  
"I Went to Your Wedding," and sure  
as shootin' it appeared in your col-  
umn.

I am not competing for your  
"solid mink yo-yo" award as I am  
not a lyric expert—just one of your  
constant readers and admirers and  
a regular radio and TV listener.  
Since I too have attempted to dis-  
entangle the confused lyrics I have  
concluded it was meant to be sung  
by a male in the first place.

THAT WOULD clarify everything.  
However, since it has become female  
property and particularly identified with  
Patti Page and Dinah Shore, and we are  
to assume they are bemusing the loss  
of a sweetheart, only one word would  
have to be changed to make it plausible  
and acceptable.

Change the word "You" to "She"  
in the line "You walked down the aisle"  
and we'll continue to accept a gal sing-  
er's rendition and everyone will be  
happy including you and me.

Peggy Gudmand  
New York City

Dear Peggy: I think yours is the best  
theory. Several readers had the notion  
that Patti Page was singing about her  
sister—her real sister who was married  
in Texas not long ago—and that the  
lyrics indicated her heartbreak over  
losing Sis, presumably to a gent over  
whom the family wasn't overjoyed. But  
I can't buy that, because she wails  
"Your mother was crying" and "Your  
father was crying." Surely if it were  
her sister's wedding, she'd say, "Our  
mother" and "Our father."

## In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

October 29, 1902

RED MEN—Sanatoga Tribe 213. Red  
Men, initiated a class of 27 palefaces at  
a session which was attended by the  
Great Chiefs of the state organization.  
G. Joseph Lafferty went through the rites  
for the class. The committee, in charge  
of the event was as follows: Josiah  
Fryer, Harry F. Eimerbrink, Harrison  
K. Rhoads, Harry Grimley, Livingston  
Shiffert, Frank Hipple and Samuel  
Miller.

AUCTIONEER BITTEN — William  
Rader, of Cedarville, auctioneer, was se-  
verely bitten in the right hand by a dog  
when he entered the slaughter house of  
George M. Stubblebine, North Coventry  
butcher. The wound is quite painful. Dr.  
John Davis was summoned.

25 Years Ago

October 29, 1927

STUNT NIGHT—A Stunt Night pro-  
gram was given at the Jewish Commu-  
nity Center, High and Warren streets.  
Taking part were Mrs. Martin Stein,  
Lobby Werther, Evelyn Herst and Leona  
Bressler. A boxing bout was given by  
Albert Leblang and Norman Cohen with  
honors even.

NUPTIAL EVENT—Justine Leveille,  
daughter of John Leveille, 452 Lincoln  
avenue, was married to Leroy Reigner,  
former Pottstown High school football  
star. The ceremony was performed in  
the Valley Forge Memorial chapel by  
Dr. W. Herbert Burke.

BANQUET — More than 1200 persons  
attended the annual turkey banquet of  
Pottstown Nest, Order of Owls, in Odd  
Fellows Hall. On the committee were  
Chester Bechtel, Irvin Hutt, John Kerlin,  
William Flannigan, Jacob Kerr, William  
Fillman and Martin Friedman.

10 Years Ago

October 29, 1942

COSTLY GUNNING — It cost John  
Hojecki, of South Washington street,  
Boyertown, \$90.80 fine and costs to shoot  
two cock ring necked pheasants and a  
hen bird five days before the opening of  
the small game hunting season. He was  
arrested by Harry Reichert, district game  
protector, and the hearing was held be-  
fore Alderman Leroy Wanner, Reading.  
Reichert found the birds cooking in a  
pot at the Hojecki home.

## Dr. Jackson's Birthday... O! 1952 Flits!...

★ GRAND OLD MAN of medicine, Dr.  
Chevalier Jackson, who is Schwenks-  
ville's most honored citizen, will ob-  
serve his 87th birthday Tuesday. He'll  
probably observe it quietly, for he re-  
ceives few visitors at his Schwenks-  
ville RD 1 home, which once was an old  
mill. Dr. Jackson spends most of his  
time secluded in his study "working on  
books." He's noted for his development  
of methods to take foreign bodies from  
lungs by the insertion of tubes through  
the mouth. Many a local child, many a  
local grownup owes his life to Dr. Jack-  
son and his bronchoscope. Dr. Jackson  
was graduated from Jefferson Medical  
college in 1886—so he's well known to  
another grand old man of medicine, Dr.  
J. Elmer Porter, Pottstown's dean of  
doctors.

VOICE OF DOOM—Like a voice  
from another world, deep, resonant  
tones came out of the telephone: "Do  
you know that one week after Adlai  
Stevenson is elected president all the  
banks in Pennsylvania will  
close? Phew! Cold sweat broke out  
on the column's forehead. "Who is  
this calling?" he anxiously asked,  
sparring for time to recognize the  
voice. "Never mind!" came the  
answer. "I'm just telling you that  
one week after Adlai Stevenson is  
elected president, all the Pennsylv-  
vania banks will be closed!" More  
sparring for time with a question  
from this end: "How do you know  
that? Have you a crystal ball?" then  
the roof fell in. "I'm Ronald Reed,  
Pottstown RD 2," said the voice on  
the other end of the telephone. "I just  
lost \$10 on it too! Look at the cal-  
endar!" (Answer at bottom of col-  
umn if you can't figure it out!)

★ NOT ALREADY!—Where'd the year  
go? O! 1952 must be gone, because  
William F. Brower Jr., the insurance  
man, was around yesterday with his  
1953 calendars. Yep, first of the season,  
and probably setting a record for earli-  
ness. . . Mrs. Joseph E. Faust, Sumney-  
town, has observed some funny goings-on  
in the henery of her husband's! After  
spending two weeks away from home  
visiting a neighbor, one red rooster re-  
turned to her husband's hen house Sat-  
urday night. Sometimes the grass is  
greener in the other meadow, but there's  
nothing like home, sweet home, observ-  
ers might philosophize! . . . Mrs. Rena  
Stein, Boyertown RD 2, has gone to the  
University of Pennsylvania hospital,  
Philadelphia, for observation.

EYE OPERATION — William  
Sloan, 175 Sheridan street, was dis-  
charged yesterday from Reading  
hospital following an eye operation  
for the removal of a cataract. He  
was in the hospital eight days, will be  
recovering at home for several  
weeks. Sloan is a supervisor for  
Doehler-Jarvis corporation . . .  
Fresh water fish and sharks don't  
drink water, but other fish do . . .  
How confusing can names get . . .  
The large mouth, smallmouth and spotted  
bass are all called black bass, but  
really they're all members of the  
sunfish family . . . Legend has it  
that the kangaroo's name comes  
from an Australian native phrase  
meaning "I don't know," given in  
reply to a white man who asked the  
name of the strange animal.

★ DAY'S WORK—That man Joe L.  
Bowen, the electrifying real estate  
dealer, had a busy day! He sold to  
Ethelbert Barnard, manager of the Sun-  
shine Feed store, a six-room, brick  
home and an acre of ground at Parker-  
ford owned by Robert Hoppe, the chief  
of the Bethlehem Steel guards. Then  
he sold to H. R. Breneman, manager of  
the E. J. Breneman company the  
Thomas Wisler six-room, semi-detached  
brick home at 314 West Vine street,  
Stowe. Thirdly, he sold the home of  
Wayne Nest, officer manager for Fred-  
erick Lumber, 82 West Fifth street,  
to Albert Boronski, formerly of Fruit-  
ville. Nest's home was a six-room,  
tucco, semi-detached. Boronski is a  
Firestone worker. Some day, eh? . . .  
All right, here's the answer to that  
dilly in the second paragraph. Look at  
the calendar! A week after Election  
Day is November 11—Armistice Day.  
Yep, it's a legal holiday and banks are  
closed!

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE  
FATUOUS — (FAT-u-us) — ad-  
jective: foolish; blandly inane;  
without reality; illusory, like the  
ignus fatuus. Synonyms: inane,  
witless. Origin: Latin—Fatuus.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
Sir James Chadwick, English  
physicist, is due for birthday greet-  
ings today, and so is professional  
football player, George Poole.

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

TREATMENTS with hormones have  
given us new and better ways of hand-  
ling many diseases. In fact, it has been  
said that we are living in the age of  
hormones.

Hormones are substances manufac-  
tured by certain glands in the body, and  
put by them into the blood stream. The  
blood carries them to different parts of  
the body, where they regulate such ac-  
tivities as emotions, growth and sexual  
functions.

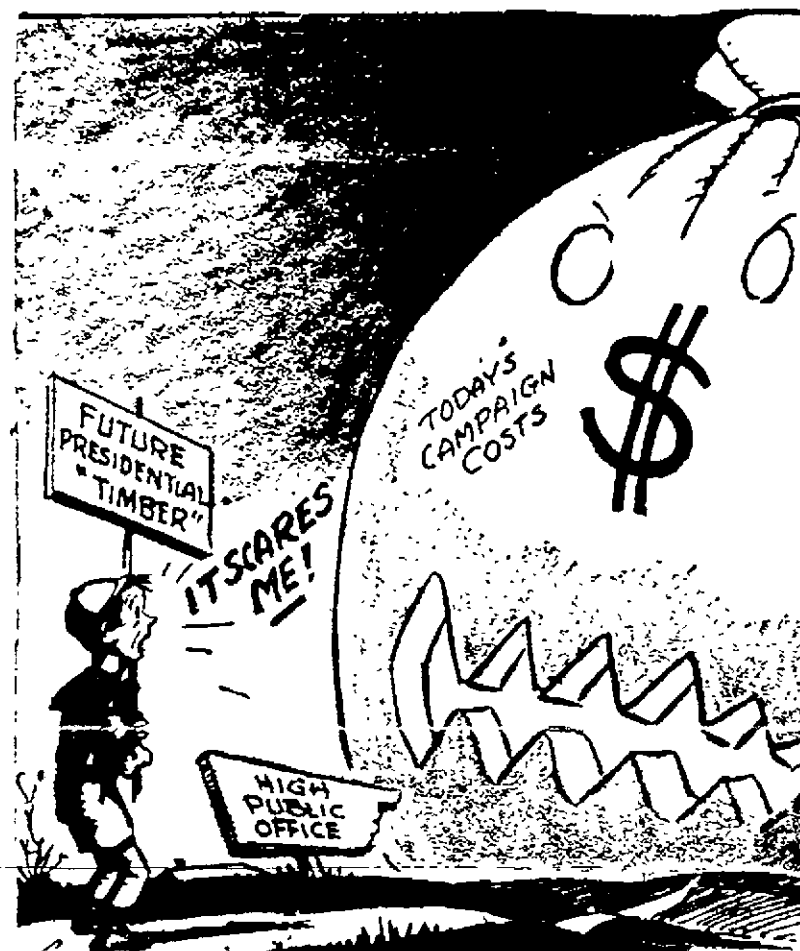
When the body has a shortage of  
necessary hormones they can sometimes  
be supplied by mouth or injections. In  
this way they are used to treat diseases  
that come from the lack of hormones.

Arthritis has been helped with cer-  
tain hormones from the pituitary gland  
and the adrenal gland. Certain types of  
cancer, such as cancer of the prostate  
in men, are helped tremendously with fe-  
male sex hormones.

Most everyone knows about the hor-  
mone insulin, which is essential to the  
proper use of starches and sugars in  
the body.

Scientists are now searching for a  
hormone that may prove helpful to  
people with heart trouble. Numerous ex-  
tracts have been obtained from heart  
muscles and different organs, and their  
effect tested on the heart in the hope  
they may contain the desired hormone.

One such solution was obtained from  
extracts taken from heart and blood  
vessel tissues. Patients with heart fail-  
ure, angina pectoris, or severe high blood  
pressure were then given fairly large  
doses of this heart muscle extract.



## Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 28.—They're  
trying to keep it hush-hush, but it's  
in the works for M. G. M. to drop  
that \$5,000,000 lawsuit against  
Mario Lanza. Probably because  
his pictures make  
so much money.

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in the rug busi-  
ness! Before the  
studio takes him  
back, you can  
expect to read a  
lot of face-sav-  
ing slush (face-  
saving for the  
studio!) about  
how badly Mario  
wants to come



# MCCARTHY HIT —

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torially: "The Junior Senator from Wisconsin, who has made his way to national fame and political fortune via the route of wild charges, gross distortions and assorted forms of demagoguery, said nothing last night that in one way or another he has not said before. He preys on fear; he stirs up hatred; he uses every device to destroy the confidence of Americans in each other.

"Playing right into the hands of Moscow, he undermines one of the essential ingredients of a liberal democracy."

The Times said that within half an hour after McCarthy finished the televised portion of his speech it had received 200 telephone calls and numerous telegrams objecting to the speech or to the newspaper's continued support of Eisenhower.

McCarthy was especially critical in his talk of Wilson Wyatt and Arthur Schlesinger Jr., both former leaders in ADA, political action group supporting Stevenson.

The ADA in a statement today described itself as an organization of "loyal, progressive Americans dedicated to the battle against Communism and the preservation of liberties at home."

THE STATEMENT took up McCarthy's "policy" points one by one, saying in part:

1. ADA "opposes Communism vigorously." It opposes "provisions of the Smith act because these prosecute people for what they think and say rather than for what they do."

2. The organization "does not urge recognition of Red China." Before the Chinese Reds entered the Korean war it did urge that negotiations toward that end be considered if the Communists would give assurance they would not go into that struggle and would agree to a non-military settlement on Formosa where the Chinese nationalists have retreated. After China entered the war ADA opposed recognition.

3. ADA always has favored Federal employees' avowal of support for their government but objected to certain aspects of the present loyalty program — "We oppose the denial of the right of the accused to face his accuser, the denial of his rights to rebuttal and cross-examination, the admissibility of hearsay evidence."

4. "ADA has consistently said that the job of hunting down spies and saboteurs is the work of the professionals in the FBI. We did criticize the use of wire-tapping in the Coplon case. The courts have always sustained this view."

5. The group has sharply criticized the un-American activities committee and objects to "any Congressional committee which serves as judge, jury and inquisitor."

McCarthy quoted from Articles by Schlesinger to show, he said, that the writer "thought Communists should be allowed to teach your children" and was "against religion."

Schlesinger, in New York, said that he was "tired of these Joe Come-Latelys in the fight against Communism."

He said McCarthy "tore a sentence out of context" to insinuate that he was pro-Communist. He asserted the sentence came from an article done for Life magazine on July 29, 1946, "exposing and indicting the Communist conspiracy in the United States."

"ANOTHER FALSEHOOD," was Schlesinger's term for McCarthy's suggestion that he opposes religion. He said his first book was "a selection of the Catholic book club."

Another McCarthy target was Bernard De Voto, writer described as an assistant to Stevenson. The Senator said he once wrote a Harper's magazine article criticizing the FBI.

De Voto, commenting on the reference in New York, said McCarthy "obviously does not know what it (the article quoted) contains."

"Everyone who has read my works knows I am one of the most anti-Communist of American writers," he said.

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This 28-pound pumpkin being examined by Ernst H. Struckmann, vice president of Mrs. Smith's Pie company, will help make some of the 2000 pumpkin pies that the firm will give away tonight to children participating in Pottstown's Halloween parade. The pumpkin is a cross of an ordinary long neck pumpkin with a squash, to get the best eating qualities of both. It's a deep orange-red.

# TRINITY MEETING — PUMPKIN PIES —

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realize that Christianity is a layman's religion."

The speaker was introduced by Oliver L. Christman, toastmaster. Preceding and following Dr. Schaeffer's address musical selections were given by Phyllis Gruff, the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor, Bertha Geiger and a duet by Mr. and Mrs. A. Erwin Colver. Group singing and orchestral music were in charge of Raymond C. Elliott.

Presiding at the business session were the Rev. Frantz, president of the consistory, the congregation's governing body, and J. Robert Von Drach, vice president.

Kline M. Geyer, financial secretary, A. Erwin Colver, treasurer, William H. Yohn, treasurer of the congregation's improvement fund, presented reports concerning their departments. Brief reports were made by Mrs. Norman G. Lepperd, minister of music, Dorothy Sutton, director of the Junior and Youth choirs, and Mrs. George Hartman, parish secretary.

Richard C. Dutcher, who directed a recent campaign in the congregation for funds for "The Dr. L. Kryder Evans Memorial Church Building Fund" reported that almost all of the \$837 goal has been reached.

A new constitution and by-laws were adopted following a report and discussion led by George W. Griffiths, chairman of a special committee appointed to prepare a new document to replace the constitution and by-laws enacted in 1848.

Elected to vacancies on the consistory were Elders Kline M. Geyer and J. Robert Von Drach, Deacons Warren F. Delong, Clarence L. Hilborn and Richard C. Dutcher, and Trustees William H. Yohn and George L. Hughes. All were elected for a second two-year term with the exception of Dutcher who succeeds Dr. J. Ross Schmidt, Pottstown physician, who declined reelection. They will be installed to their offices at the worship service to be held on Sunday, Nov. 9, which is observed as "Men's Sunday" in the Evangelical and Reformed church.

# AUTHORITY OKAYED —

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signed the school, said Jan. 1, 1953, is the "contemplated date for advertising for construction bids."

He added that final approval of the school plans probably will not be received from the State until then and the contractor will not be selected until about a month later.

John B. Bunting, representative of Jancy and company, Philadelphia banking firm chosen tentatively by the school board to set up a bond issue for the financing of the school, had a good word for the school district's credit.

He told the authority members and school directors: "You in Pottstown are fortunate you have very good credit. Whatever the market is when you're ready to sell your bonds, you can be sure Pottstown will get the very best interest rate."

Bunting emphasized the need for teamwork between the school board and authority, during his bonds through checks counter-orientation of the authority members to the job ahead of them.

HE ALSO explained that the borrowing capacity of the school district is not affected by the bond issue since the bonds are "strictly revenue bonds" and not issued as a debt against the district.

Authority members will not be liable personally for financial obligations of their unit since it will be a corporation, but they are liable for prosecution for malfeasance in office.

The authority is responsible, only for the financing of the school's construction, but may suggest construction changes to the school board.

Interest rates on authority — Dr. George A. McCormick, super-

bonds are just as good when the sale of the bonds is negotiated by banking firm as when they are sold through public bidding.

The longer a bond issue requires for maturity, the higher are the interest rates on the issue.

THE WORK LOAD of the authority "drops about 75 percent" after the issuance of the bonds, that the group's prime mission is between now and the issuance.

A solicitor, architect and fiscal agent, will be appointed by the authority after the group receives the school, had a good word for the school district's credit.

Rinder, Sanders and Thomas and Janney and company have been representing the authority on a tentative basis at the school board's behest and are expected to be approved by the authority. The depository still has to be named.

The bank appointed depository will be trustee of the issue and principal and interest on the bonds through checks counter-

An agreement with the trustee will provide for the issuance of more bonds if additional construction is required in the future.

The authority and school district will sign an agreement leasing the school to the district, which will pay rent to the authority, with the aid of subsidies from the State, until the bond issue has been liquidated.

IF THE authority rejects the fiscal agent's offer for the bond issue, the agent is paid a fee for arranging the issue and the authority can request public bids on the issue.

Dr. George A. McCormick, super-

# MISSIONARY —

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the next four months.

When he was released through the efforts of the missionaries he was weak from malnutrition.

THE COMMUNISTS deported him to Hongkong, where he recovered under adequate medical care and returned to America in June, 1951.

Before coming to Pottstown Friday, the Rev. Bright will address the annual district conference of the Brethren church, which includes Pennsylvania, New Jersey, the Eastern New York and Northern Jordan.

Jericho, the walls of which were destroyed by Joshua, according to the Bible, is now a village in Brethren, Kenilworth.

Delaware.

The conference met yesterday and will meet again today in the First Church of the Brethren, Philadelphia.

The Rev. Bright is secretary of the southern district of the Brethren church in Indiana.

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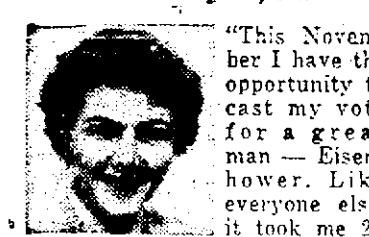
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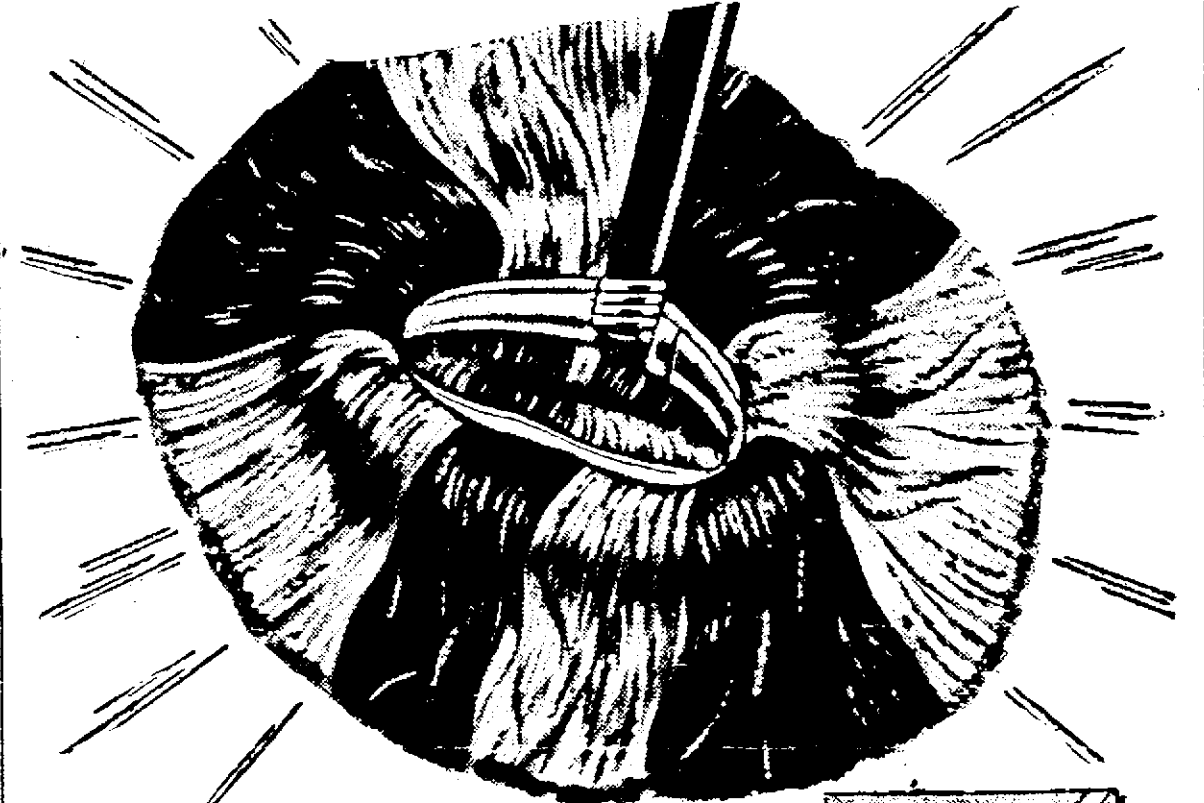


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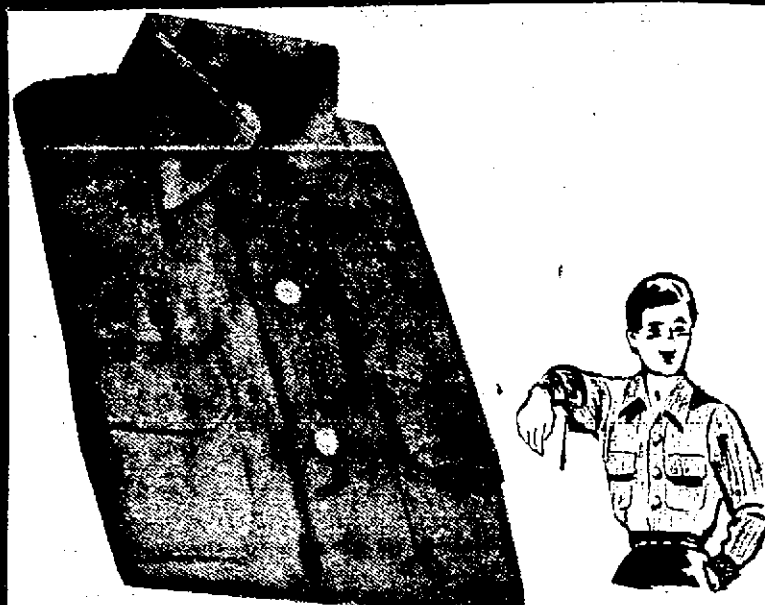
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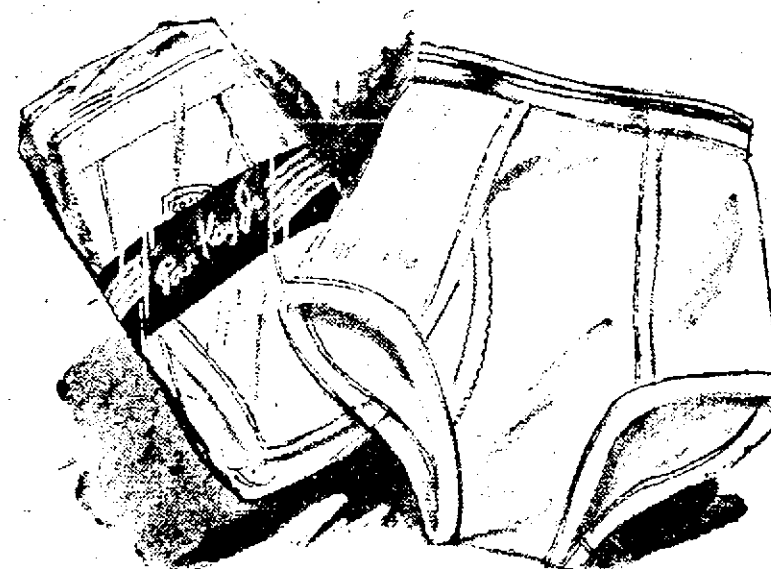
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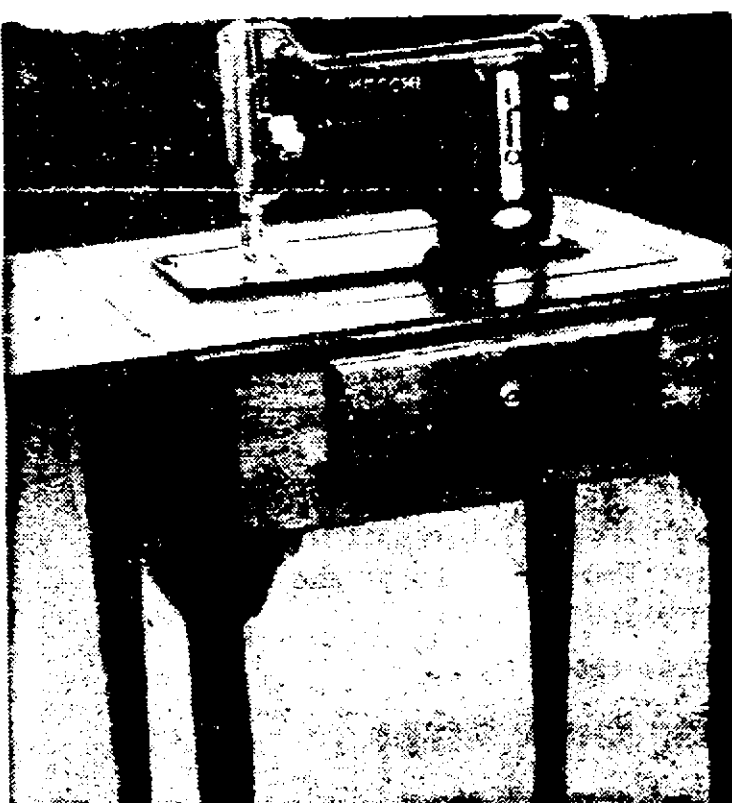
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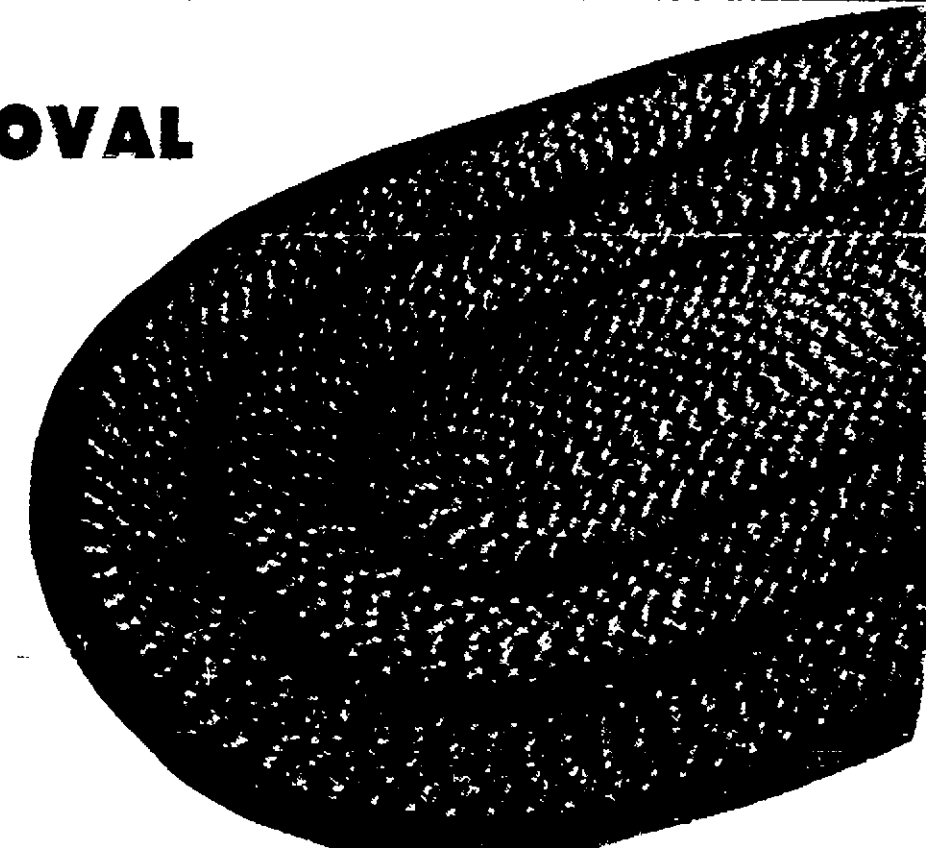
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# Pottstown Portraits

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**A Quick Look at Your Neighbor**

By LARRY DAVIS

FOR all his 33 years, Merrill F. (for Francis) Potts has lived in Spring City.

"I was born there, I've been there since then, and I guess I'll die there," the pleasant post office employee says in surveying the situation. Whenever he refers to Spring City, he does so in terms that would make a Chamber of Commerce field representative beam with toothy pleasure.

Merrill F. Potts



Since sleeping ancestors are not of vital concern to him, Potts hasn't bothered to determine whether he is kith or kin of the famous iron mongering family that founded Pottstown 250 years ago. But he is certain that his part of the family bearing the name has been around for some years. They did, in fact, live in the vicinity of Warwick furnace whence came the early iron masters.

"I have a lot of fun with it," he says, "when people ask me am I for sure part of the old Potts clan. Maybe I am, and then maybe I'm not. It doesn't really matter."

Potts was born an opal-baby Oct. 14, 1919, the oldest of two children of Lewis and Esther (Pennypacker) Potts. His father has been a warehouseman for the Pennsylvania railroad for 34 years. A sister, Mrs. Evelyn Conklin, is the wife of a Marine corps technical sergeant recently home from Korea.

Potts went to school in Spring City, graduating from high school in 1937 where he took a commercial course and added some courses in mathematics which he has always enjoyed.

While in high school he played four years of football as guard and tackle, two years of baseball as catcher, two years of basketball as a guard and a year of tennis. At 16, he weighed a comfortable 133 pounds which explains in part his athletic leanings.

Today, standing five feet, 10½ inches, he is a compact 215 pounds. Following his graduation, at a time when jobs were scarce, Potts went to work for a cement contractor and for four months carried cement and unloaded cars for a construction project at Pennhurst State school.

When the job folded, he went to work in a box factory operated by Walter Diener and became a slitting machine operator after carrying corrugated sheets as an apprenticeship. The slitting machine scores the sheets of cardboard so that they can be properly folded into shape.

On Feb. 3, 1941, Potts enlisted with Company B of the 111th Infantry at Phoenixville. Before the month was out, the unit had been federalized and was on its way to Indianola Gap, where following Pearl Harbor it was assigned to guard duty in the Allentown-Bethlehem area. Later it policed the eastern seaboard.

In 1943 as the 111th was readying for overseas, an examination disclosed a cyst on Potts' spine which sent him to a hospital. The 111th left him behind, but he was later attached to the 246th and later to the 2nd Coast artillery as a commander of 90 mm. AA and sea coast guns at Fort Story, Va. He was attending a six-month course on data computers at Fort Monroe, Va., when the war ended.

His post-high school sweetheart, the former Miss Geraldine Lupold, became his wife at Chesterfield, S. C., on July 29, 1941. There are three children: Linda, 7, a second grader at the Broad street elementary school; Thomas, 2, and Sharon, five months.

After the war, Potts worked for the Pennsylvania railroad checking cars at Phoenixville, and four years as a bartender at the Liberty Fire company. In July 1949 he went to work as a substitute clerk in the Spring City Post Office and about the same time bought his home at 423 South Main street.

Once a small game hunter, Potts no longer has time to stalk the fields. As a substitute clerk, he works the off-time of the other employees in the office. Some day soon he hopes to receive his permanent appointment in the postal service.

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WHEN David J. Ecker, of Stowe, picks up his ax, the last thing in the world he'll do with it is cut wood.

For in the musician's jargon—the "hep" musician, that is—a guy's "ax" is his instrument. In Dave's case, his "ax" is a bass trombone with which he has purged the atmosphere for the past 11 years.

Right now, Dave is a sergeant in the U.S. Army finishing out an extended three-year tour of duty set to expire next month. Since he has been in the service, he has been doing the work he likes best, first at Ft. George G. Meade, Md., and more recently at Valley Forge Army hospital. That means he's had his "ax" in hand, along with other Army musicians.

At 21, Sgt. Ecker is either a "hot" musician with a classical bend, or a classical musician in "cat's" clothing. ("Cat" is the "icky" of 10 years ago reincarnated.) He's not sure which, and it depends, actually, on what kind of a kick he's on. (Literally translated, "kick" means mood. Are you hep?)

David J. Ecker



Sgt. Ecker was born March 16, 1931, at North Braddock, Pa., near Pittsburgh, one of two sons of Cyrus T. and Mae (Maurer) Ecker. He has one brother, Cyrus Jr., who lives on Pottstown RD 3.

Four years after his birth, the family moved east to Harmonyville when the father joined the Bethlehem Steel company where he is now a foreman checker. After two years at Harmonyville another move was made to Pigeon Creek in South Coventry township where young Dave started school.

When he had completed the fourth grade, the family moved to its present address at 923 Glasgow street in Stowe, and Dave entered the West Pottsgrove school where he was graduated from the 12th grade in 1949.

It was at West Pottsgrove that he made up his mind music was the thing for him. One day he heard the school band playing and the music set off a responsive chord. He liked, especially, the slide trombone. He started studying at the Lamb Music school and has been at it ever since.

His instrument is the bass trombone which is distinguished from the conventional "ax" in its class by the larger bell, greater bore of the tubes and an "F" key. It is a supporting instrument (bottom horn) in the music of the modern school and is occasionally featured as a solo in the classical element.

Anyhow, Sgt. Ecker enjoys it so much that he has studied under Edward Gummel, bass trombonist for the National Symphony orchestra, and Donald S. Reinhardt, renowned bass specialist.

When he left high school in June 1949, Dave read some handwriting on the wall, and packed himself off to Ft. Meade where he enlisted directly into (and spent two years with) the Second Army band. For an additional six months, he studied at the U.S. Naval School of Music in Washington.

While with the Second Army band, he fulfilled partially his ambition to travel and in 24 months covered all seven of the Army area's states playing at various military installations and for community affairs.

The past January 15, he joined the Seventh Hospital band at the Army post in Phoenixville. Since then, his job has been to help entertain the patients at concerts by the military band or at sittings involving smaller dance combinations.

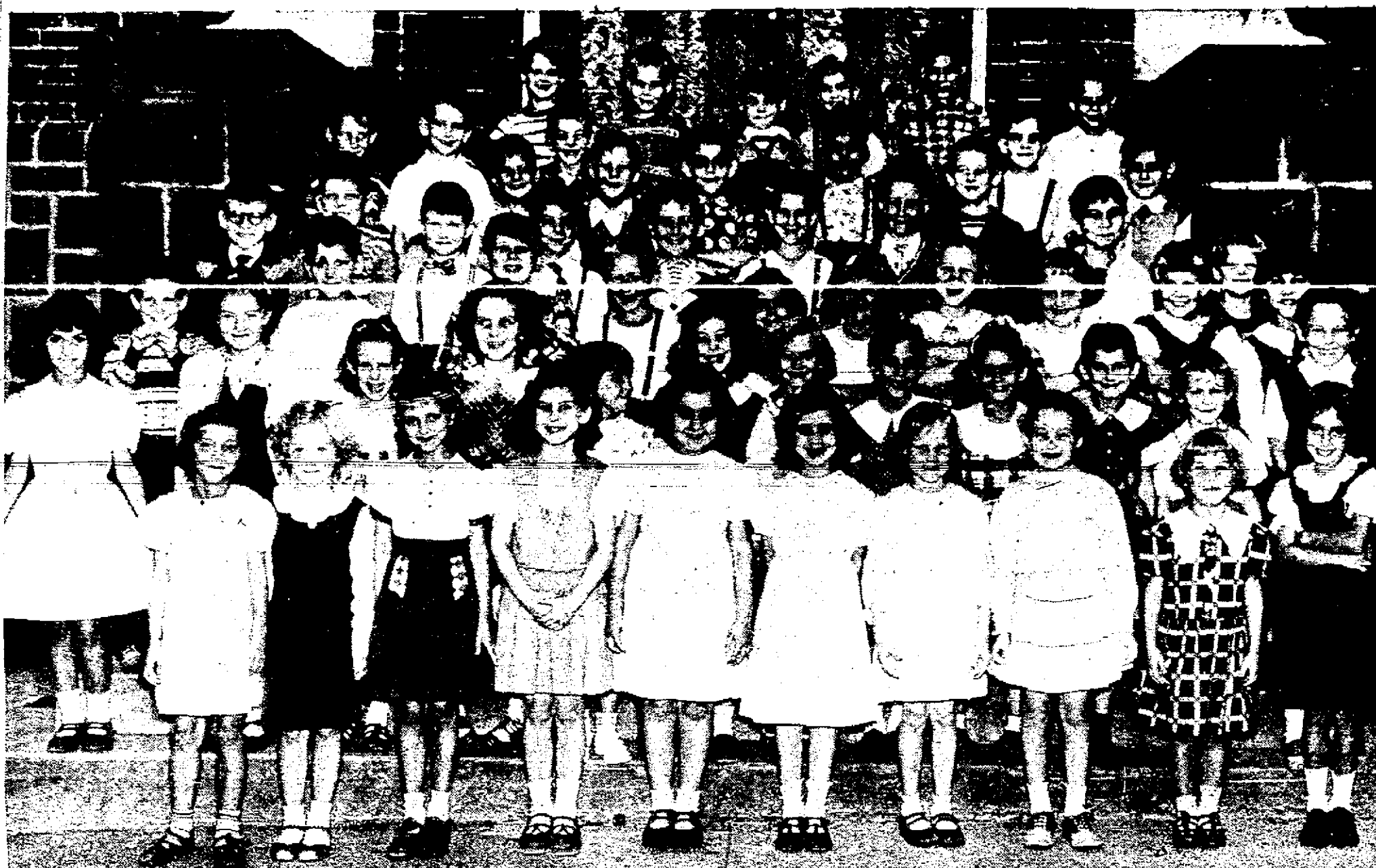
Like any soldier, he is up early. After normal cleanup duties and morning chow, he spends an hour in individual practice. Another hour, with the brass section precedes two hours of rehearsal with the full band. During the afternoons he plays dinner music in the main mess hall, tours the various wards and marches in the Retreat formation.

Standing six feet, one inch, weighing 170 pounds, blue eyed and blond haired (a crew cut growing back into civilian style), Sgt. Ecker, likes clothes "a little off the conservative."

Dave has plans for the future, but he's not discussing them openly. Whatever they may be, his "ax," for sure, will be an important part of them.

# Pottstown's Finest

Hope for the future lies in Pottstown's schools. The Mercury is publishing pictures of Pottstown's finest, the children in our schools. Every day a new room of school children will be shown here. Save the series, and enjoy them anew in future years.



—Mercury Staff Photo

Judging by the gleeful expressions on their faces, teacher Mrs. William Marshall must have a hard time getting these Second graders at the St. Aloysius parochial school to go home at the end of the day. From left to right in the first row are Francine Leinbach, Joan Marie Ayres, Josephine Panfili, Kathleen Bunt, Joan Palladino, Marie Serina, Marilyn Hennessey, Donna Marie Beam, Carol Ann Knod and Jacqueline Antonio. Row two, from left to right, shows Diana Schrefel, Victoria Andrews, Judith Bellenoit, Mary Ann Beidler, Ruth Nolan, Catherine D'Arcy, Francine Lucas, Leona Pickar, Kathryn McGovern, Patricia Hartenstein, Paula Gaugler and Anne Reimer. The third row, in the same order, includes Thomas Floyd,

Robert Trimble, Dennis Bolonese, Brian Kassel, Kathleen Holulowicz, Kathleen Baum, Kathleen Sener, Ellen McNichol, Veronica Ondik and Jean Mizic. Left to right in the fourth row are Thomas Meade, George Secco, James O'Boyle, Joseph Wary, Mark Lawler, Daniel Albright, Timothy Well, David Psata, Robert Moyer, and Robert Gass. Row five, left to right, shows James Cain, Joseph Levengood, Raymond O'Donnell, Dennis Smale, Paul Spacek, Kenneth Stutz, Robert Trapani, Joseph Liski and Charles Reifsnider. The sixth row, in the same order, includes Charles Gass, James Whitacre, William Lopacchini, John Fazik, Gregory Busenkell and Timothy Boyy.

The U. S. Census Bureau says that about 12½ million people live in the New York urban area in New York state and New Jersey.

## Daughter, 3 Sons To Share \$26,261 C. H. Rhoads Estate

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, Oct. 28.—A daughter and three sons share a balance of \$26,261.73 in the estate of Calvin H. Rhoads, Lower Pottsgrove township, who died the past Jan. 21, according to an adjudication handed down today by Judge J. Burnett Holland in Orphans Court.

The beneficiaries are: Etha Mae Wismer, Norman S., Paul S. and Robert S. Rhoads.

Adjudications in other estates were: Distribution of a remainder of principal amounting to \$158,076.41 and income of \$9574.05 in the estate of Harry S. Kepner, Pottstown, who died June 10, 1951, was ordered by Judge Holland.

Under the first accounting, these awards are made: \$100 and 10 shares of National Bank of Pottstown stock to Dale March; \$1500 to Samuel Waters, step-son; \$3500 to James

G. Waters, step-son; income from 20 shares of National Bank of Pottstown stock to Alice Ackerman; residue one half each to Charles A. Kepner, son, and Elizabeth Gottschalk, daughter.

Estate of Flora K. Humphreys, Pottstown, who died Aug. 29, 1951: Balance of \$1338.92 awarded to Christian Science church of Pottstown.

Estate of Mary R. Buckwalter, Upper Providence township, who died Jan. 2: Balance of \$17,423.49; Emma May Merkel, daughter.

awarded \$500 to Viola B. Styer, daughter; \$200 for burial lot care, and the residue one third each to Geraldine S. Miller, Raymond L. Styer and Marilyn W. Styer, grandchildren.

Estate of Frank J. K. Hoffman, Douglass township, who died Nov. 29, 1951: Balance of \$9128.21 awarded \$500 to David King; \$200 each to Paul King and Catherine K. Nagle; house in Gilbertsville, valued at \$3000 to Clayton E. Yerger, grandson, and residue to died Jan. 2: Balance of \$17,423.49; Emma May Merkel, daughter.

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## Pottstown's Prides

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The breezeway comes into its own at this home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Frey at the northeast corner of Prospect street and Feist avenue. The house was completed in 1948 by Allen K. Davidheiser Jr., Pottstown contractor. The breezeway leads directly from the kitchen to garage. The open porch in front of the enclosed breezeway is floored with cement but the Freys plan to have it surfaced with tile. The living room at the left of the front door. Between the

dining room and kitchen is a snack counter. There is a large bay window in the dining room, not visible in this view from Prospect street. Also downstairs are a bedroom, bath and small laundry room. Upstairs are three bedrooms and a bath. There's a full basement, finished into a room where Mrs. Frey conducts children's Bible classes. Frey is owner of Arrow Camera shop. On the front porch is a daughter, Mrs. John Moser, Shiprock, N. M.

—Mercury Staff Photo

### Two Cub Scouts Win Webelos, Top Honor

The Webelos, highest award in cub scouting, was presented last night to Robert Kerr and Barry Rhoads of Cub Scout Pack 53 at a meeting in Emmanuel Lutheran church.

The awards were made by Cubmaster James L. Undercoffler. Kerr was graduated into Boy Scout troop 5 of the Zion Reformed church and Rhoads into the Upper Pottsgrove Scout troop.

### 40 From High School Plan Visit to Airport

Forty members of Bertram P. Scanlin's commercial geography class at Pottstown Senior High school will visit the Municipal airport this afternoon.

The tour of the field facilities and equipment is part of this week's classroom topic on "Air Transportation."

Scanlin explained that his classroom studies are arranged by pupil committees and that Joan Buchanan, chairman of the group responsible for this week's instruction, arranged the tour.

**EARLY VOTING URGED**  
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28 (AP)—Allegheny county commissioners, anticipating a record vote at next Tuesday's election, today urged voters to cast their ballots early to avoid a last minute jam.

### 2 Area Women Treated For Cuts of Left Thumb

Two Pottstown area women were treated for cuts of the left thumb, it was reported yesterday by Memorial hospital's dispensary. Mrs. Esther Rhoads, Pottstown, RD 4, cut hers opening a can. Mrs. Amelia Sell, 104 Warren street, cut hers while working at the Shuler house.

### Stevenson's Sister Sees GOP Candidate

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson, rival Presidential candidates, have not met since the campaign began.

Nor did their paths cross even today when both were campaigning in New York.

But Stevenson's sister and official hostess, Mrs. Ernest Ives, got a look at Eisenhower today.

She and about 20 other women supporters of Stevenson were just leaving the entrance of the Commodore hotel as Eisenhower entered to go to his headquarters there after a Long Island campaign tour.

"We're for Stevenson," they shouted when they saw the general.

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### Air Force to Keep Gen. Twining at Post

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 (AP)—The Air Force said today that Gen. Nathan F. Twining will remain as Vice Chief of Staff.

The announcement had the effect of canceling an earlier decision to have Twining change jobs with Gen. Curtis E. Lemay, commander of the Strategic Air Command with headquarters at Omaha, Neb.

President Truman the past March 6 sent to the Senate a nomination of Lemay to be Vice Chief of Staff. The Senate confirmed it April 8.

Shortly afterward Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Chief of Staff, became ill and the Air Force said the Twining-Lemay switch would be held up.

### Vishinsky Is Host To Asian Diplomats

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Oct. 28 (AP)—Andrei Y. Vishinsky, campaigning steadily to win delegates away from the Western-led majority in the UN, entertained six Asian diplomats last night at a sumptuous dinner. It featured Russian caviar and some informal talk on Korea. Despite this, the UN delegates were just as much in the dark as ever as to what the Russian foreign minister is expected to say on Korea tomorrow in the UN Political committee in answer to Secretary of State Dean Acheson.

Reports from delegates indicated Korea came up in the conversation around the dinner table from time to time but that Vishinsky at no point gave the slightest hint about his speech.

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